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Florence Stuart (Howell) Pollard --> wife of Clarence Owens Pollard --> brother of maternal grandfather, James Roston Pollard.

Twenty-Four Families

"Patience" Powell Fullard

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"Forgetting all Else"
"Memory is Bold"
"Armed with Song"

Lovingly dedicated,

Florence Howell Pollard
"Patience"

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"Scorn not the nobly born
With love affected,
Nor treat with virtuous scorn
The well connected.
High rank involves no shame,
We boast of equal claim
With him of humble name
To be respected".

—Lolanthe

DEFINITION OF NAMES FOUND IN THE CLARENCE POLLARD FAMILY

The name "David" comes from the Hebrew Daviydh, signifying "beloved." It is the same spelling in French, Danish, Dutch, German–Italian adds 'e' or Davidde.

The name "Florence" comes from the English version probably derived from "Flora," the goddess of flowers. It might also mean "white" or "fair." It is a female name said to have been Anglicized from Finin or Fineen, an Irish name used by men, meaning "flourishing."

The name "Marion" is a derivative of Mary. The spelling "Marian" is a diminutive of Mary, the feminine spelling.

The name "Clarence" is probably derived from St. Clare, a popular saint in England, a friend of St. Francis and founder of all the Poor Clares. It is probably derived from the Latin "Clarus" meaning "bright," "fair."

"Alaric" means "Noble ruler." It comes from the Gothic Alareikus. The Danish spell it Alarick, the French spell it Alaric, the Germans spell it Alarich, the Spanish, Alarico, and the Latins, Alaricus.

"Alison" is a Scottish female name which in old parishes registers "Alisone." It is of French origin and the same as Alizon. Roquefort gives Alizon, Aliete, Ailexe, Aileye, Auly as female diminutives of Alexis.

Withycombe in his book on Names, states that the name Alison is a pet-name for Alice . . . originally French Allis and formed by the addition of the suffix 'on' to Alis. It was common in France from the 13th Century and was often treated as an independent name or last name. It was still common in England in the 17th Century, especially in the North country, where it often appears now as Alicen. It is mainly confined to Scotland, where it is sometimes abbreviated to Ailie.

"The name 'Louise' is the French form of Louis and was not used in England before the 17th Century, when the name became a popular one. Louise, Countess of Berkeley, born 1694, granddaughter of Louis de Keroual and Charles the Second."

"Bruce" comes from Robert de Bruce of Scotland.

"Denis," of Dionysius, the God of wine. Denys is the French spelling.

THE HISTORY OF THE WORTHIES OF ENGLAND

Endeavoured by: Thomas Fuller, D.D.
First printed in 1662.

Sir John Fortescue was born of a right ancient and worthy Family in this County; first fixed at Wimpstone in this Shire, but since prosperously planted in every part thereof. They give for their motto, "Forte Scutum Salus Ducum;" and it is obserably that they attained eminency in what Profession soever they applyed themselves.

In the Field:

Sir Henry Fortescue, a valiant and fortunate Commander under King Henry the Fifth in the French Wars, by whom he was made Governour of Meux in Berry.

Sir Adrian Fortescue, Porter of the Town of Calice, came over with King Henry the Seventh; and, effectually assisting him to regain the Crown, was by him deservedly created Knight Banneret.

In Westminister Hall:

Sir Henry Fortescue was Lord Chief Justice of Ireland, and justly of great esteem for his many vertues; especially for his sincerity in so tempting a place.

Sir John Fortescue, our present Subject, Lord Chief Justice and Chancellour of England in the Raign of King Henry the Sixth, whose learned "Commentaries on the Law" make him famous to all posterity.

In the Court:

Sir John Fortescue, that wise Privy Councellor, Overseer of Queen Elizabeth her liberal Studies; and Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Dutchy of Lancaster.

Sir Lewis Pollard, of King's Nimet in this County, Sergeant of the Law, and one of the Justices of the King's Bench in the time of King Henry the Eighth, was a man of singular knowledg and worth; who, by his Lady Elizabeth, had

Eleven Sons; whereof four attained the honour of Knighthood:

Sir Hugh.

Sir John, of Ford.

Sir Richard.

Sir George, who got his honour in the defence of Bullen.

All the rest, especially John, Arch-deacon of Sarum, and Canon of Exeter, were very well advanced.

Eleven Daughters, married to the most potent Families in this County, and most of them Knights; so that (what is said of Cork in Ireland, that all the Inhabitants therein are Kinne) by this match almost all the ancient Gentry in this County are allied.

The Portraiture of Sir Lewis and his Lady, with their two and twenty Children, are set up in a glasse window at Nimet-Bishop. There is a Tradition continued in this Family; that the Lady, glassing the window in her husband's absence at the Term in London, caused one child more then she then had to be set up, presuming (having had one and twenty already, and usually conceiving at her Husband's coming home) she should have another child; which, inserted in expectance, came to passe accordingly. This memorable Knight died anno 1540.

Sir John Doderidg, Knight, was born at . . . . . in this County; bred in Exeter Colledg in Oxford; where he became so general a Scholar, that it is hard to say whether he was better Artist, Divine, Civil, or Common Lawyer, though he fixed on the last for his publick profession; and became second Justice of the King's Bench. His soul consisted of two essentials, ability and integrity, holding the scale of Justice with so steady an hand, that neither love nor lucre, fear or flattery, could bow him on either side.

It was vehemently suspected that, in his time, some gave large sums of money, to purchase places of Judicature; and Sir John is famous for the expression, "That, as old and infirm as he was, he would go to Tyburn on foot to see such a man hanged, that should proffer money for a place of that nature:" for certainly those who buy such offices by wholesale, must sell Justice by retail, to make themselves savers. He was commonly called the Sleeping Judg, because he would sit on the Bench with his eyes shut, which was onely a posture of attention, to sequester his sight from distracting objects, the better to lissen to what was alledged and proved. Though he had three wives successively, out of the respectful Families of Germin, Bamfield, and Culme, yet he left no issue behind him.

THE HISTORY OF THE WORTHIES OF DEVON
By: John Prince

POLLARD, SIR LEWIS, KNIGHT

Pollard, Sir Lewis, Knight, and one of the Judges of the Common-Pleas, was born in this county, although it is not so easy to determine where; one seems to intimate, it was at Knowstone-Beaple, in the north-east part of this shire, where he hath placed his father; another tells us, That that estate was purchased by Robert Pollard, the fourth son of the judge; which must be long after that judge was born, and, as it likely buried too: However, it is agreed, That his father was Robert, second son of John Pollard of Way, who settled upon this his younger son his lands in Roborow, a parish so called, about five miles to the south-east of Great-Torrington, in the days of King Edward 4th, who marrying the daughter of Lewknor of Sussex, Esq; had issue the judge of whom we are speaking: So that probably he was born somewhere in that parish. The most antient seat I have met with of this honourable name and family is Horwood, a small parish lying near four miles to the east of Bytheford: Here Walter Pollard lived an. 27 K. Hen. 3d; after that, another Walter, an. 24 Ed. 1st; then Joel; then John, then Walter the third; then John the second: Who by Elinora, daughter of John Copleston of Copleston, Esq; had issue Walter and Robert; from which last Sir Lewis the judge issued. The posterity of Walter Pollard of Way (in St. Giles's adjoyning) and Horwood, flourished at Horwood six or seven generations after his time, even down to the present age, when in the issue male it became extinct.

This gentleman, the judge, was born about the year of our Lord 1465; who having had the education becoming his quality, applied himself first to the study, and afterward to the profession, of the laws of our country: This he did, as what was likely to return most honour and service to that and to himself. In order to which, he became a member of the Middle-Temple, London; where he continued, encreasing in virtue and learning, until he was chosen reader of

that society, an. 18 K. Hen. 7th, and is the third upon record (Brian Palmys and John Varasour were the two first) of that quality in that house. In the 20th year of the same reign was a great call, of no less than ten, to the degree of serjeant at law: Of which number, Sir Lewis Pollard was one; the manner and order in making of which, may be seen in Sir. W. Dugd. Origin. Jurid. p. 113-114. They held a mighty feast at Lambeth, in the arch-bishop's hall there; and after that, entertained the King at a breakfast, with all the inns of court, to the number of a thousand persons. In the two and twentieth of the reign of the said King, Hen. 7, 1507, July the 9th, was Sir Lewis Pollard made the King's serjeant at law; and when, three years after this, Henry the eighth succeeded in the English throne, he was constituted serjeant at law to that King also. Being now in great reputation, he was advanced, by the last-mentioned prince to the higher station of one of the justices of the Common-Pleas, an. 1515. In this honourable office he continued for many years; until age, and the consequent infirmities thereof, sued out his Quietus est.

This high and great trust of a judge (an higher than which is hardly found upon earth, the lives and livelyhoods of men being therein concern'd) Sir Lewis Pollard executed with great faithfulness and reputation; the fragrant odour whereof perfumes his memory unto this day. 'His knowledge in the laws, and other commendable vertues, as a certain writer tells us, 'together with a numerous issue, rendered him famous above most of his age and rank.'

He had very great practice in his time, whereby he was enable to purchase a fair estate in this county, to himself and family, at Kings-Nimton, not far from Chimlegh; where he raised a handsome dwelling, with a large park adjoyning. He married Agnes, daughter of Thomas Hext of Kingston, in the parish of Staverton, four miles east of Totnes; by whom he had a very plentiful issue, eleven sons, and as many daughters. Four of his sons, if Dr. Fuller's author did not deceive him, attained the honour of knighthood, thus reckoned upon by him, Sir Hugh, Sir John, Sir Richard, and Sir George, who won his title by his stout defence of Bulloin in France; all the rest especially John archdeacon of Barum, that is, Barnstaple (Fuller, by mistake, calls it Sarum) and canon of the church of Exeter (of whom is a large account given by Mr. Hooker, in one copy of his Synopsis, which I have seen, but could not procure) were well advanced. The daughters were married to the most potent families then in this county, most of them knights, as, the first to Sir Hugh Stukely of Affton; the second, to Sir Hugh Courtenay of Powderham; the third, to Sir Hugh Pawlet of Stamfordpeverel; the fourth, to Sir John Crocker of Lineham, &c. So that what is said of Cork in Ireland. That all the inhabitants therein are a kin; by these matches, almost all the antient gentry in this country became allied.

The portraicture of Sir Lewis Pollard the judge, and his lady, with their two and twenty children, was set up in a glass-window, in an isle of the church of Kings-Nimton, said by Fuller to be Nimet-Bishop; a mistake he ran into by following his author blindfold, and without due consideration; for he tells him no such thing. There was a tradition of long standing in his family, That his lady, glassing this window in her husband's absence at the Term in London, caused one child more than she then had to be set up there; presuming, having had one and twenty already, and usually conceiving at her

husband's coming home, that she should have another. Which, inserted in expectation, came to pass in reality. This reverend judge, having lived to a great age, being also as full of honour as of days, was himself at length cast, by the irrepealable statute of death, in the year of our Lord 1540; and lieth buried in the church of Kings-Nimton, where in the window aforesaid, under his, his lady's and his children's figures are these words found.

Orate pro bono Statu Ludovici Pollard Militis, unius Justiciariorum Domini Regis de Banco, & Elizabethae Uxoris ejus, Quin istam fenistram fieri fecerunt.

Whereby it appears he was a benefactor to this church, and gave a window to it: As one of his ancestors had been to the church of Horwood aforesaid; where we find, that John Pollard and Emma his wife, daughter and co-heir of John Doddes-combe, raised one of the isles, from thence called Pollard's isle. In a window whereof was this inscription sometime found:

Orate pro bono Statu Johannis Pollard & Emmae Uxoris ejus, quin istam Guildam fieri fecerunt.

In which window, Pollard's coat impaleth a Griffin rampant sable in a field arg. which griffin, according to the tradition in that family, was born by a duke of France, whose daughter the heir of this house had married. The young lady was cloistered in a nunnery, while he was serving his soveraign, the King of England, in his wars in that country; of whom he grew so greatly enamoured, that he sued out, and at length obtained a dispensation to marry her.

As to the posterity of this learned judge, if any are so curious to enquire what became of them, they continued at Kings-Nimet aforesaid, in great reputation, for about five descents following. His grandson Lewis, was an eminent lawyer, Leut-reader of the Middle-Temple an. 1 Edw. 6th, recorder of the city of Exeter, an. 2 Edw. 6th, and continued so for six years; he was also a serjeant at law. There were three knights in a direct line, and two baronets; the last of which was Sir Hugh Pollard, Baronet, comptroler of the household to K. Char. 2d; of whom it may not be unacceptable to give the reader a brief history.

Sir Hugh Pollard the last, was a gentleman of a noble mind, that no way degenerated from his ancestors; being magnificently hospitable to all persons who came to his house. either occasionally or by invitation. In the time of our late unhappy wars, he adhered (according to the obligations of honour and conscience) to the interest of oppressed royalty; and both by his purse and person endeavoured to support the tottering cause of his dear parents, his mother the church, and his father the King: He was content to hazard all for their sakes, and to stand or fall with them. Though he could not effect what his zeal and loyalty prompted him to covet, yet his endeavours towards it were not wanting to the utmost of his power. And 'tis an honour, in a good cause, to do what we can, if we are not able to effect what we would.

'Est quiddam prodire tenus, si non detur ultra.'

During the late civil wars, he served his Majesty in the field, and became governour of Dartmouth (a port of great importance) in his own country, when garrisoned for the King; and afterward, in time of peace, served his son K. Char. 2d, of gracious memory, in the court; being made by him, as was said comptroller of his household. When the garrison of Dartmouth was attached by the

parliamentarians, this gentleman the governour, with many other honourable persons of this country then there, made at first a resolute and vigorous defence; and at length, the place being not tenable, surrendered upon good articles; when most of the commanders returned to their own homes.

Sometime after this, when the best cause and the best King fell by the sins of all, and the hands of some; Sir Hugh Pollard, able to yield distressed majesty no farther service, for the present, retired to his house at Nimton-Regis, where he spent the remainder of his fortunes in hospitality among his friends and neighbours; on which a witty poet in his time thus rhymed:

_____ At Nimton-Regis,

Where th' one drinks and T' other pledges.

At last, after a tedious expectation, the happy restoration of King and church, by a wonder of Providence, wheeling about, Sir Hugh Pollard, in recompence of his loyal services, was invited to court, and preferred to that honourable office and trust before-mentioned; at what time he was sworn also one of his Majesty, K. Char. 2d's, privy-council: In which station he continued unto the time of his death, A.D. 1667; of whom a certain author hath given this good character. "That this gentleman was very active and venturous for his Majesty, in the worst of times; and very hospitable and noble with him, in the best. He was wont, in keeping up the old English honour of a great table, to observe that rule, rather occasionally to entertain, than solemnly to invite his guests; lest he should overdo his own fortune, for fear of underdoing the invited's expectation, to whom their feast might be his ordinary fare."

There was a great acquaintance contract between this gentleman and a noble peer, James Ley, then Earl of Marlborough; who, a little before his not then expected death, discharged the part of a faithful friend, in minding Sir Hugh Pollard of the obligations of religion; and how nearly it concerned him, to secure the great interests of the world to come; by a pious letter which he sent him, a copy whereof, for the exceeding seriousness of it, being fit to be perused by all gentlemen and others, I shall crave leave here to insert.

'SIR,

'I am in health enough of body, and through the mercy of God in Jesus Christ, well dispos'd in mind: This I premise, that you may see what I write proceeds not from any fancying terrour of mind; but from a sober resolution of what concerns myself, and an earnest desire to do you more good after my death, than mine example (God of his mercy pardon the badness of it) in my lifetime may do you harm. I will not speak ought of the vanity of this world, your own age and experience will save me that labour; but there is a certain thing that goeth up and down the world, call'd religion, dress'd and pretended phantastically, and to purposes bad enough, which yet, by such evil dealing, loseth not its being: The great God hath not left it without a witness, more or less, sooner or later, in every man's bosom, to direct us in the pursuit of it, and for the avoiding those inextricable disquisitions and enlargements our own frail reasons do perplex us withal; God, in his infinite mercy hath given us his holy word, in which as there are many things hard to be understood, so there is enough plain and easy to quiet our minds, and direct us concerning our

future being. I confess to God and you, I have been a great neglecter, and, I fear, despiser of it (God of his infinite mercy pardon me the dreadful fault;) But when I retired myself from the noise and deceitful vanities of the world, I found no true comfort in any other resolution than what I had from thence; I commend, from the bottom of my heart the same, I hope to your happy use. Dear Sir Hugh! Let us be more generous than to believe we die as the beasts that perish; but with a christian, manly, brave resolution, look to what is eternal. I will not trouble you farther: The only great and holy God,Father, Son, and Holy Ghost, direct you to an happy end of your life, and send us a joyful resurrection. So prays

Your true friend,
MARLBOROUGH.'

'Postscript. I beseech you commend my love to all my acquaintance, and let my cousin Glasscock have a sight of this letter, and as many of my friends besides as you will, or any else that desire it. I pray grant my request.'

From the Old-James (a ship of the King's so called) near the coast of Holland, Apr. 24, 1665.

Sir Hugh Pollard married the Countess-Dowager of Berkshire, sister to the Right Honourable Henry Earl of Oxford; he left surviving issue only one daughter, since married to – – – – –. Kings-Nimton he sold to the late Sir Arthur Norcot, Baronet; and it is not the inheritance of his son Sir Francis Northcot, Baronet. His baronetship descended to his younger brogher Sir Amias yet living, but very little, if any, of the antient estate: Altho' there were five or six brothers who lived to be as proper gentlemen as most in this or any other county; and were most of them commanders in the King's army in the late wars; not one of them left any issue: Insomuch, the whole race of this family is now wholly, or well near, extenct.

There yet flourishes, in this county, a gentleman of the name of Langley, in the parish of High-Bickinton; which was sometime the possession of Britton, whose daughter and heir was wife of Roger Pollard; who planted himself so firmly in this place, that his posterity have hitherto possessed the same. Of which family hath sprung a goodly race of gentlemen; one of which, by name George, was usher to Q. Elizabeth of famous memory, during her life; and after that to the illustrious and learned K. Jam. 1st. He married the daughter of Hardweek in Derbyshire, sister to the Countess of Shrewsbury, and mother to the maids of honour to Q. Elizabeth, by whom he had no issue: But God blessed his nephew, the inheritor of this house by one of the co-heirs of Phillips, with a fair issue of six sons, and as many daughters; the issue of one of which now inhabits at Langley aforesaid.

THE POLLARDS

The Pollards were a numerous family with many branches in England in the fourteenth century. Cornwall was the seat of the most ancient Pollards

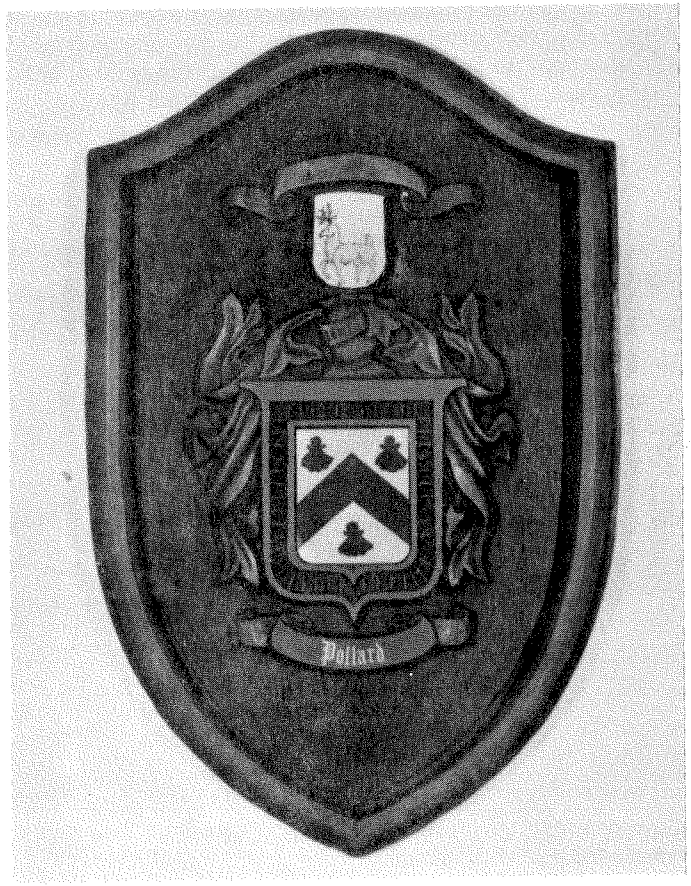
who, in Durham County, England, won the appellation of "the Politic Pollards." The name Pollard occurs on the Hundred Rolls, The Barton of Trelleigh in Redruth County. Their Coat of Arms was a shield with three shells in coral and a crest of silver stag, with a wide chevron of colbalt blue against the silver, the scroll work around the shield being done in delf blue.

In 1636, two brothers, William and George Pollard, came over from England and settled in Massachusetts. Each had a very large family, one brother having eleven children and the other, fourteen.

The Pollards have lived in the State of Virginia since 1656 and by 1704 three of them–Robert, William and Thomas Pollard were heads of families.

Our Pollards lived in Pittsylvania County, Virginia, and migrated from Chatham, Virginia, to Bertie County, North Carolina, thence to the ninty-sixth district, South Carolina and on to Cedartown, Georgia.

There they built a large Colonial home that would be called a mansion today. The owner, John Pollard, headed this family and it is said they arrived in this area of Georgia in 1833.

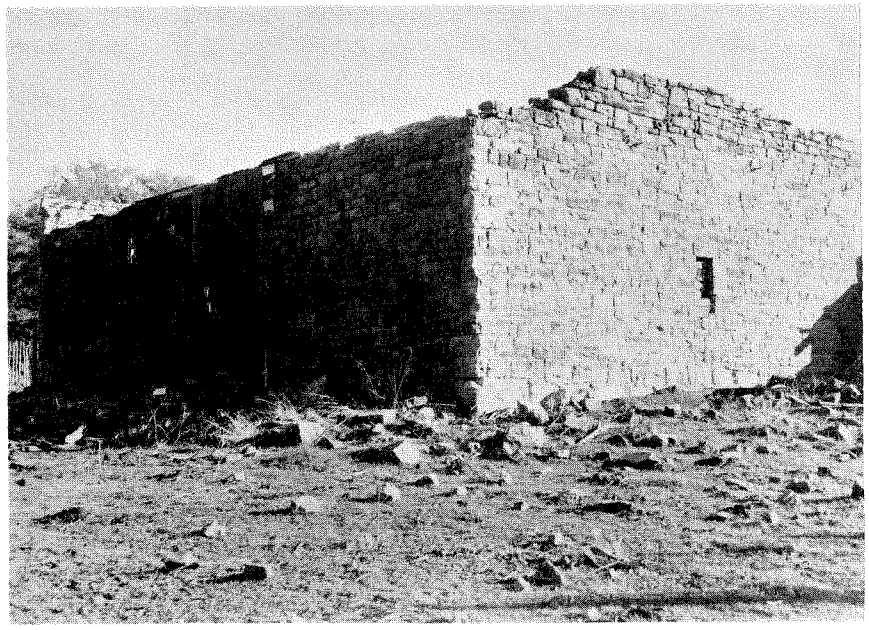


The Pollard plantation was said to have covered several thousand acres. Their slaves were brought with them to Georgia. The fact that the Pollards were industrious people is evidence by the various types of businesses in which they engaged. They operated a factory for making felt hats for the slaves, and also made bricks, the first to be seen in that part of the country. The Pollard's home was of brick with large white columns while other houses on the acres were of timber cut at the Pollard saw mill which furnished material for many other buildings in that area.

The acres were covered at one time with thousands of cedar trees and long-leaf pines. A giant mulberry once marked the spot of the Pollard estate.

The first peach trees known in that country were planted by the Pollards who made brandy by the old English formula which they brought over with them from England. The Pollards also brought beautiful English china that was in the family for many years, though much of it was destroyed by fire when the homeplace was burned.

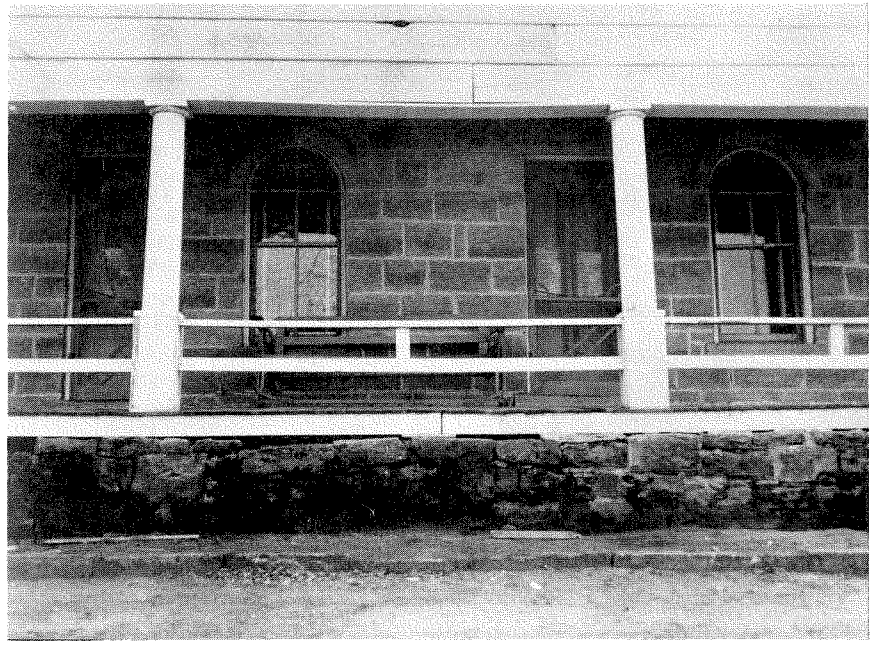
A story is told by one of the elderly members of the family that the first Pollards to leave Georgia were Roston Whatley Pollard, called "Ross," and James Thornton Pollard, called "Thornton." They, with a Mr. "Doc" Russell, left for Texas, not because they were seeking adventure but because "Betsey" Pollard, Roston's daughter (Elizabeth Ann Pollard), was admired by a Mr. Millsap who came to Cedartown, Georgia, from the State of Mississippi, his family having been of the Millsaps who helped found Millsaps College in Mississippi.



The Old Pollard Fort, Mineral Wells, Texas. Here the Pollards built a fort to protect themselves from the Indians.

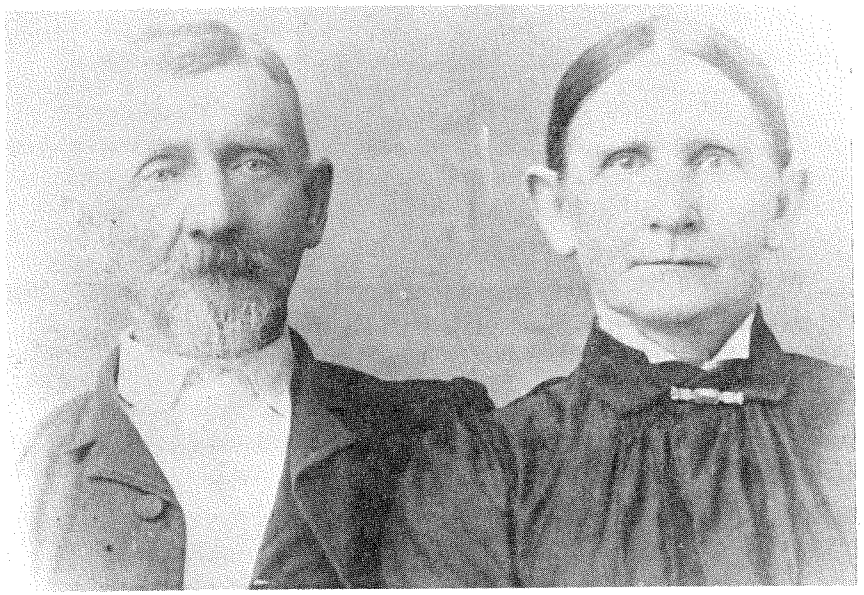
Elizabeth Ann "Betsey" Pollard, daughter of Roston Whatley Pollard

Betsey was very young and Fuller Millsaps, several years older, persisted and threatened to elope with Betsey. He finally won Betsey but even after marriage to the fifteen year old girl, Roston told Fuller Millsap that if he ventured away with Betsey that he would follow. He made good his threat. About 1849 he and Thornton and Doc Russell left for Texas and arrived at Mineral Wells, Pala Pinto County, Texas.



This two story house is located at Mineral Wells, Texas. The old Pollard home occupied by Roston Whatley Pollard and wife. The first Pollards to come to Texas. David Peoples Pollard followed later.

Fuller Millsap built a rock house of hugh blocks which they called Pollard Fort. It was situated on what is now called Pollard Creek, a stream that furnished Mineral Wells with water up until 1921. At a point on the bank near where water flowed into the Brasos River, Roston Pollard built a two-story stone block house (one mile south of the main highway) near the Claret Club. He built the second house which was later destroyed by fire.



James Thornton Pollard with wife Sarah Weatherly

Thornton moved to Lone Oak, Texas, or what is Lone Oak today.
Fuller Millsap moved East to an area named Millsaps, Texas.
Here we must check back and pick up other Pollard names.

DAVID O. POLLARD

(Son of John Pollard)

David O. Pollard lived at Cave Springs, Georgia, when Roston and Thornton sold their share of the plantation to Augustine Young who had migrated from Pittsylvania County, Virginia, with John Pollard.

When the gold rush came, with reports of gold having been discovered at what is now called Heflin, Alabama, David and John Pollard left their wives with the relatives and went in search of gold.

We find a census record of David Pollard in Calhoun County, Alabama, 1860, at Kemp Creek area.

DAVID PEOPLES POLLARD

David Peoples Pollard, a son, in whom we are most interested.

The records show that one David P. Pollard, son of David Onan Pollard, name not found as David Peoples Pollard, private, Company B, 5th Battalion Alabama Volunteers, Confederate States Army, enlisted August 19, 1861, in Calhoun County, Alabama.

He was promoted to Corporal May 1, 1862.

Union Prisoner of War records show that he was captured July 3, 1863, at Gettysburg, paroled at Point Lookout, Maryland, and transferred to Aiken's Landing, Virginia, February 24, 1865, for exchange.

Company Muster Roll for December 31, 1864 to February 28, 1865, last on file, shows him absent, "In the hands of the enemy since July 3, 1863."

No later record of him has been found.

Thomas Bush was Captain of Company B, above named organization.

In his family there were Nancy Pollard, Lewis Pollard, Jane Pollard and John Pollard, with David making the five children. Lewis never married. He died at Belton, Texas. Nancy never married.

David Peoples Pollard was born March 7, 1837, in Cobb County, Georgia, with the nearest post office at Cave Springs. He married in 1855, in Rome, Georgia, to Frances Minnerva Liggett, whose mother was a Miss Holland of Holland, Georgia, which is a small town near Rome. Frances was born August 26, 1835, at Holland, Georgia. She died December 19, 1911, at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. David Pollard died December 9, 1912, at Pleasant Point, Texas, near Lillian, and both are buried at Pleasant Point Cemetery (see markers).

A human interest story may be told here:

David Peoples Pollard told this story to his grandchildren–talking of the war, he said that before surrendering of the forces, he went back into service after prisoner exchange.

He walked from Virginia to Georgia. He named the following battles in which he presumably took part: Harper's Ferry, Bull Run, Chickamauga and the Second Battle of Gettysburg. He told of marching through Pennsylvania and that people along the roadside spat upon the soldiers in his group. They also threw stones at them. During the second battle of Gettysburg, David was shot in the hip.

He stated that food was very scarce and that they ate parched corn and also used parched corn for coffee at home.

This may be a good time to add that we, the C.O. Pollards who at one time lived in Upper Darby, Pennsylvania, drove over to Chester, Pennsylvania, and viewed the very building where David Peoples Pollard had been held prisoner. It was formerly a library which was converted into a hospital during the War-between-the-States. Initials had been carved on doorways, etc., by the prisoners.

We took a snapshot of the building with our David O. Pollard standing on the lawn. That was in 1931.

Issue of David P. and Frances Liggett Pollard:

1. Sarah Elizabeth (Betty) born in Georgia.
2. William Sherwood Pollard born in Georgia.
3. David Onan Pollard born in Georgia.
4. & 5. Nathan Perry and Wylie Perry Pollard. (twins)

Sarah Elizabeth, called Betty, married 1. Willie Massey and 2. David Julius was born July 20, 1857. William Sherwood Pollard married Mary Richerson in Tennessee. He died February 17, 1940. David Onan Pollard was born on November 10, 1866 in Cobb County Georgia. He married April 1, 1888 to Allie Owens, born January 28, 1871 in Ellis County, Texas. He died May 2, 1915 at Mineral Wells, Texas and is buried at Pleasant Point in Johnson Co., Texas.

Their issue:

1. Irene
2. J. Rosston
3. Clarence O.
4. Raymond
5. William Ramsey

Wylie Perry Pollard, and Nathan Perry Pollard born September 24, 1869 in Maury Co., Tennessee near Columbia. Wylie (Sheriff of Amarillo, Texas) married Eva Ellen Stewart on May 30, 1885 at Fort Worth, Texas. He died August 12, 1931 in Amarillo and is buried there. Nathan married Emma Jane Casstevens, January 1, 1892 in Johnson Co., Texas. He died January 14, 1933 at Fort Worth, buried at Pleasant Point, Texas. Emma died March 27, 1943, Wylie had 6 children: Willie (girl) Essie, Eunice, J. Alfred, Mary E. Nathan had two children, Mabel (Mrs. Alex Shaw) and T. Bryce Pollard who married Beulah Lyle, Allie Owens, above, also Eva Ellen, are deceased.

William S. Pollard and Mary had 13 children: Annie, Onan, Mattie, Albert,

Allie, Melvin, Lewis, Viola, Preston, Ione, Bertha, Omega, Pauline. (Mattie, Viola, Ione, Bertha, Omega, Pauline are still living.) Betty Massey, Julius had two sons by Massey, W. Clarence and Pleasant Pollard, by Julius she had four: Lula, Levon (Rev.), Frances, John David Julius. (Leon passed on.)

William Pollard's wife, Mary died September 15, 1942. She was born in Tennessee on May 30, 1863.

Sarah Elizabeth Pollard, married 1. Willie Massey in Tennessee and married 2. David Julius in Texas. William Sherwood Pollard married Mary Richerson in Tennessee. David Onan Pollard, married Allie Owens in Texas. Wylie Perry Pollard and Nathan Perry Pollard were born in Tennessee and married in Texas. Wylie P. Pollard married Eva Ellen Stewart, and Nathan P. Pollard married Emma Jane Casstevens.

Nathan and Wylie Pollard were born in Tennessee, as the family migrated there after the birth of David. The twins were named for Dr. Nathan Perry, a name prominent in historical and medical records of Maury County, Columbia, Tennessee.

Before leaving Columbia, Tennessee, or the small place called Mount Pleasant, Tennessee, Betty (Sarah Elizabeth Pollard) married.

THE POLLARDS MIGRATING TO TEXAS

Not many years after the War Between the States, two Tennessee families decided to try their fortune in the comparatively new state of Texas. They were the Pollards and the Barnes', who migrated from Mount Pleasant, near Columbia, Maury County, Tennessee, in 1880, to Johnson County, Texas.

They pooled their money and it took them as far as Cleburne, Texas. (Other Pollards, namely Roston Whatley Pollard and James Thornton Pollard, had settled earlier in Mineral Wells and Lone Oak, Texas.)

David Peoples Pollard and wife, Frances Minnerva Liggett Pollard, and their sons, William Sherwood Pollard, David Onan Pollard and the twin boys, Nathan Perry and Wylie Perry Pollard, left Tennessee for Texas.

We have a separate record of Sarah Elizabeth Pollard, called Betty, who married William J. Thomas Massey in Maury County, Tennessee.

We also have a separate record for William Sherwood Pollard who married Mary Richerson of Columbia, Tennessee, and their thirteen children born in Tennessee, the other 12 born in Texas.

SARAH ELIZABETH (Betty) POLLARD

Betty, as she was called, was born July 20, 1857, in Cobb County, Georgia, near the town of Cave Springs. She was married in 1878 at Columbia, Tennessee (Marriage records on file at Columbia) by Pleasant Massey, J.P.

She married William James Thomas Massey, son of Pleasant Massey. William was born July 14, 1857, in the state of Tennessee. He died November 3, 1880, in Tennessee, where he is buried.

Betty Pollard Massey died May 11, 1944, in the town of Mineral Wells, Pala Pinto County, Texas, and is buried in Elmwood Cemetery there.

The Massey issue:

I. Will Clarence Massey was born January 13, 1879, at Mt. Pleasant, Maury County, Tennessee. Clarence married Lillie Elmer Moulder, daughter of Henry Moulder. She was born August 6, 1881, in Texas. Clarence Massey died in Mineral Wells, Texas. He and Lillie had no children but they adopted two relatives, Mary Ellen Moulder and Janelle Moulder.

II. Pleasant Pollard Massey, second child of Sarah Elizabeth (Betty) Pollard and William Thomas Massey, was born April 15, 1880, at Mt. Pleasant, Tennessee. On July 11, 1912, he married Minnie Lee Stacy, daughter of J.J. Stacy, who was born July 11, 1893, at China Springs, Texas.

Their issue:

A. Paul James Wesley Massey, born August 23, 1914, at Mineral Wells, Texas. Paul was married July 4, 1936, at Mineral Wells, to Dorcas Genelle Stone, daughter of Leslie Marvin Stone and Hannah Craig Stone. Genelle was born February 14, 1918, at Mineral Wells.

Paul and Genelle Massey:

1. Patsey Jean Massey, born April 4, 1939, Mineral Wells, Texas (Mrs. W. H. Cathcart).

Issue of Patsey Jean and W. H. Cathcart:

a1. Linda Kaye, born October 7, 1949, Mineral Wells, Texas (Mrs. Carl Smith)
a2. Cindy Lou, born February 27, 1959, in Mineral Wells.
a3. Donna Sue, born April 15, 1960, at Fort Ord, California.
a4. Michael David, born August 22, 1961, at Mineral Wells, Texas.

B. Frances Lee Massey (called Frank), son of Pleasant Pollard Massey, was born February 16, 1921, in Mineral Wells, Texas. He was married August 31, 1940, in Mineral Wells, to Zena Pierce, daughter of Ben Pierce and Zena

Thompson. Zena was born February 14, 1923, in Teague, Texas.

Issue of Frank and Zena:

1. Julia Frances, born June 6, 1944, and married Michael E. Waldron of Benjamin, Texas.
2. Richard Massey, born September 28, 1949, married Judy K. Watkins.

BETTY POLLARD MASSEY JULIUS

Betty Pollard Massey after Mr. Massey's death was married in 1885 at Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas, to David Julius. He was born March 23, 1850, in the state of Missouri. He died in 1936 near Woodward, Oklahoma, and is buried there.

Their issue:

I. Lula Estelle Julius, born May 10, 1885, Johnson County, Texas. She married July 9, 1905, Alvarado, Texas to Mr. Andrew Jackson Kidd, son of Mr. and Mrs. O.C. Kidd. A.J. Kidd was born April 4, 1877 in Campbell County, Georgia.

Their issue:

a1. Opal Winona Kidd, born October 3, 1907 in Johnson County, Texas. She married June 12, 1929, to John F. Hill, son of J.H. Hill.

Their issue:

b1. Howard Ray Hill, born July 24, 1935, Mansfield, Texas.
a2. Elmer Conroe Kidd, son of Lula and A.J. Kidd, born March 17, 1910, Lillian, Texas. Single at time of record.
a3. Lillie Estelle Kidd daughter of Lula Estelle and A.J., born August 28, 1913, at Lillian, Texas. Married June 28, 1940, Fort Worth Texas, to Charles Bryan Cook, son of E. P. Cook. Charles B. Cook was born November 11, 1913, Grandbury, Texas.
a4. Emma Mozelle Kidd, daughter of Lula Estelle and A.J. Kidd, born June 24, 1919, Alvarado, Texas. Married November 30, 1939, Fort Worth, Texas to Jerry M. Oakley, son of S.H. Oakley. Jerry was born September 11, 1918, Mansfield, Louisiana.

Issue of Jerry and Emma Mozelle:

c1. Virginia Gail, July 24, 1942, Fort Worth, Texas.
c2. Nelda Ann Oakley, November 19, 1943, Fort Worth, Texas.

II. Leon Julius, son of Betty Pollard Julius and David, born October 24, 1889, Kaufman, Texas. He married May 16, 1918, at Haskell, Texas, to Helen Louise McFatter. Leon Julius was a minister of Baptist faith until his death May 16, 1939, at Houston, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Martha Bell Julius, born January 6, 1930 at Healdton, Oklahoma. Married July 26, 1943, Alberta, Canada to H. Lyman Cauvel, son of S.T. and Martha B. Cauvel. Lyman was born October 31, 1919, at Walla Walla, Texas.

Their issue:

a1. Sara Louise born September 12, 1944.
a2. Howard Lyman, born December 1, 1946.
a3. Thomas Julius Cauvel, born October 31, 1951.

III. Frances Isabel Julius, born September 14, 1891, married Eph Harvard Cain.

Their issue:

1. Connie Harvard Cain, who married Thelma Gude.
2. Frances Elizabeth Cain, who married Howard Hutchinson.
3. Catherine, married Richard Glasgow a Lt.

III. Frances Isabel Julius married the second time; after the death of Mr. Cain; in 1923. She married August 17, 1925, to Jack J. Carter. They had one son who died. Don Franklin Carter, born 1931, died 1941.

IV. John David Julius was born in Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas, on March 23, 1896. Married December 28, 1918, at Lillian Texas to Mary Hunter Douglass, called Mae, daughter of G.M. Douglass. Mae was born October 23, 1891. John David died January 31, 1970 in Texas.

Issue of J.D. and Mae Douglass Julius.

1. Lillian Irene Julius, born October 22, 1921, Pleasant Point, Texas. She married November 19, 1942, at Mansfield, Texas, to Lester Leo Richeson, born March 1, 1910 at Burleson, Texas.

Their issue:

a1. Wilma Irene, born September 13, 1945.
a2. & 3. Marion Troy Richeson and Melvin LeRoy Richeson, born October 17, 1949.

2. Alleta Mildred Julius, born November 29, 1924, Mineral Wells, Texas, died January 3, 1925 in Mineral Wells, Texas.
3. Clarence Truman Julius, was born May 19, 1928, Mansfield Texas, Johnson County. Married on September 14, 1949, at Fort Worth, Texas to Bernice Stewart, daughter of Jack and Agnes Stewart of Fort Worth.

Their issue:

a1. Bonnie Bernice, born September 17, 1951.
a2. Truman Dale, Julius, born August 1, 1952. He died August 6, 1952 and is buried at Laurel Land Cemetery, Fort Worth, Texas.
a3. Clarence Truman Julius married – – – – – – – –?
a4. John Reese Julius, born December 19, 1933, Johnson County, Texas. Married Patsey Jean Martin of Robert E. and Dovey Martin. John Reese Julius volunteered his services to his country, February 24, 1952. He was stationed at Luckland, A.F.B., San Antonio, Texas.

He married the second time to Marjorie Ann Cochran of Roy Andrew and Alvina Cochran. John Reese and Marjorie had two children.

Their issue:

b1. Nancy Ann, born April 18, 1959.
b2. J. D. Julius, Jr., born January 3, 1963.

These comprise the family of Sarah Elizabeth (Betty) Pollard, Mrs. Clarence Massey who after Mr. Massey died, married Mr. David Julius. She made her home part of the time with her daughter in Oklahoma and part of the time with her son Clarence Massey of Mineral Wells, Texas.

WILLIAM SHERWOOD POLLARD

(Second child of David Peoples Pollard and Frances Minnerva Liggett of Georgia and Alabama.)

William Sherwood Pollard was born, February 15, 1860 in Calhoun County, Alabama. He married December 16, 1880 in Maury County, Tennessee near Columbia, where David and Frances Pollard migrated after the War-Between-the-States. (Sarah Elizabeth Pollard was the first child while William was the second.)

WILLIAM SHERWOOD POLLARD

MARY RICHERSON POLLARD

William S. Pollard married Mary Elizabeth Richerson daughter of Albert and Charlotte Richerson of Columbia, Tennessee. (Note the name was spelled-erson and not ardson) See Book W-5 page 190, Record #1309, 1873-1881 Book.) Married by Pleasant Massey, J.P.

William, died February 17, 1940, at Lillian, Texas, in Johnson County, and is buried at Pleasant Point, Village Cemetery, see marker.

William and Mary R. Pollard were the parents of thirteen children.

Their issue:

1. Annie May, 1881-1952, Mrs. James Henry Jones.
2. James Onan Pollard, 1883-1942.
3. Mattie Virginia, (Mrs. Arthur Smith) 1885-living 1973.
4. Albert David, 1887-1888.
5. Allie Jane (Mrs. Smith) 1889-1935.
6. Melvin Opie Pollard, 1891,1918.
7. Lewis Oliver Pollard, 1893, 1952.
8. Viola (Mrs. Floyd Smith) born 1895, living at Alvarado, Texas.
9. William Preston Pollard, Jr., 1897-1919.
10. Ione (Mrs. Ball) 1899-living.
11. Bertha (Mrs. Henderson) 1900-April 30, 1957.
12. Omega (Mrs. Stovall) 1903-living at Kilgore, Texas.
13. Pauline (Mrs. Pattillo) 1905-living.

William and Mary Pollard left Tennessee in 1882. They moved to Cleburne, Texas in Johnson County. They later moved to Pleasant point and took up farming. William Pollard was considered a very successful farmer. He was a member of Cahill Methodist Chapel and an active Christian. He and Mary celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary 1930, at their home in Johnson County, Texas.

Mary Richerson Pollard was the typical pioneer type. Her hair was worn parted in the middle with a psyche at the base of her neck. She wore very simple, plain clothes, spoke a plain language. She went about her work uncomplainingly. She and her husband were not only fine Christians but they brought their large family of children up as Christians also.

The writer recalls visiting for the first time in the William Pollard home, where she found hospitality expressed in the fullest meaning. Mr. William Pollard was the essence of gallantry and kind almost to a fault. His wife, Mary not only mothered a large family of her own, but was an Angel of Mercy in her community.

I. Their first born, Annie May Pollard, was born October 10, 1881, at Maury County, Tennessee, near Columbia and was the mother of nine children. She married March 3, 1901, at Johnson County, Texas to James Henry Jones, son of Fred Jones and Mildred Elizabeth Jones.

J. H. Jones was born October 3, 1874, in the State of Mississippi. He died at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. Annie died September 4, 1952 at Cleburne, Texas, buried at Pleasant Point, Texas. Annie May & J. H. Jones' children were:

b1. Edith Mae Jones, born April 21, 1902, Johnson County, Texas. She married June 15, 1925, Cleburne, Texas to

Thomas Petty. They lived in Dallas, Texas (5210 Terry Ave.)

b2. Myrtle Estelle Jones, born December 7, 1904, Johnson County, Texas, married December 24, 1925, Alvarado, Texas to Clarence Simmons, son of Bok Simmons. They had one son, James Robert Simmons, born November 19, 1929, Cleburne, Texas who married, Beth Williams, September 1949, at Cleburne, Texas. They had a son, Allan, born January 1951, at Cleburne, Texas.

c2. The second son of Myrtle Estelle and Clarence Simmons was Clarence William born, October 16, 1936 at Godley, Texas. Family address: 902 Poindexter, Cleburne, Texas.

III. The chird child of Annie May and James Henry Jones; Mary Ellen Jones, born October 11, 1906, Johnson County, Texas. Married December 24, 1925 at Alvarado, Texas to Edward Winter, son of Joseph and Dora Winter.

VI. Juanita Jones married Wyman Worlow, who was born March 17, 1909, Cleburne, Texas. They had five children:

1. Cora Mae Worlow, born July 4, 1934, Cleburne, Texas, Married May 1952, at Cleburne, Texas to Russell Uptergrove.
2. Sonia Earline Worlow, born October 24, 1935, Cleburne, Texas.
3. Charles Edward Worlow, born June 20, 1938, Cleburne, Texas
4. Betty Kay Worlow, no record of birth furnished.
5. Roy Wyman Worlow, born November 17, 1942, Cleburne, Texas.

Address Joshua, Texas for the parents. The seventh child of Annie Mae Jones and James Henry Jones:

VII. Russell Oliver Jones, born August 25, 1915, Johnson County, Texas. Married August 10, 1940, at Cuero, Texas, to Freda Limpki.

Their children:

1. Geraldine Jones.
2. Carolyn Russell Jones.

VIII. The eighth child of Annie Mae and James Henry Jones:

8. Earl Wilmer Jones, born June 19, 1917, at Johnson County, Texas. Married on May 8, 1942, at Cleburne, Texas, to Ruby Mabe, daughter of Clarence and Ola Mabe Ruby was born February 18, 1917, at Cleburne, Texas.

Their daughter Brenda Gayle Jones, born October 20, 1942, Cleburne, Texas.

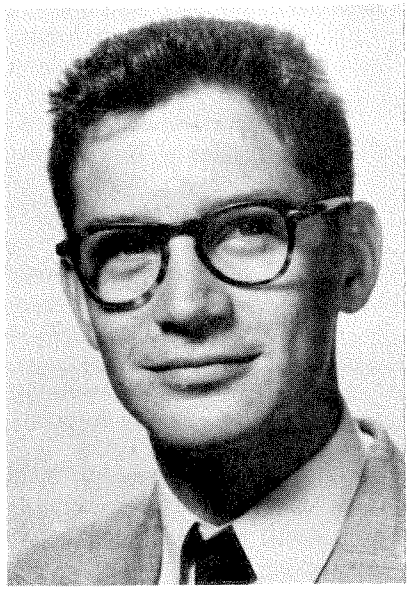
IX. The ninth child of Annie Mae and James Henry Jones:

9. Thomas Virgil Jones, born 1919, lived only three months.

II. James Onan Pollard, second son of Wm. Sherwood & Mary R. Pollard, was born May 4, 1883, in Cleburne, Johnson County. He married December 6, 1904 in Johnson County, Texas, to Hessie Browning, daughter of Felix Browning and Josephine Elizabeth Teague Browning.

JAMES ONAN POLLARD AND
HESSIE BROWNING
Son of Wm. S. Pollard and Mary
Richerson Pollard
(Second child of above)

MELVIN EUGENE POLLARD
son of
FELIX WILLIAM POLLARD
and grandson of
JAMES ONAN POLLARD



FELIX WILLIAM POLLARD
son of
J. ONAN POLLARD

Hessie, was born August 27, 1886, at Johnson County, Texas. She died June 15, 1944 in Dallas, Texas. Onan Pollard died May 8, 1942, at Wellington, Texas, buried in Wellington, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Eva Mildred Pollard, born February 22, 1907 at Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas. She married in 1926 at Alvarado, Texas, to H. L. Streeter of Johnson County, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Donal Lorelle Streeter, born 1931, Dallas, Texas, married 1952, while serving in the U.S. Air Force.
2. Mildred Ann Streeter, born April 20, 1942, Dallas, Texas.
3. Doyal Ray Streeter, born 1948, Dallas, Texas.

The second child of Onan and Hessie Pollard: Felix William Pollard, was born July 29, 1910, Estelline, Hall County, Texas. He married on February 23, 1936 at Austin, Texas, to Grace Louise Schneider, daughter of Charles and Elizabeth Schneider. Grace was born July 23, 1904, in San Saba County, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Melvin Eugene Pollard, born December 11, 1937 at Ash Grove, Missouri. (Address of Felix Pollard: Quanah, Texas.)

3. The third child of James Onan and Hessie Pollard: James Metze Pollard, born December 31, 1911, at Estelline, Texas, Hall County. He married April 10, 1937, at Dallas, Texas to Josephine Huens, daughter of J.C. Huens.

Their issue:

1. James Wayne Pollard, born January 20, 1939, Dallas, Texas.
2. Sandra Caroll Pollard, born July 8, 1940, Dallas, Texas.
3. Margarett Beth Pollard, born June 10, 1944, Dallas, Texas. The James Metze Pollards, lived at Andrews, Texas.

4. The fourth son of James Onan and Hessie Pollard: J.Y. Pollard (No names given, only initials.) He was born March 17, 1913, Estelline, Texas. He married July 18, 1947 at Yuma, Arizona, to Martha Jane Hersey, daughter of J. L. Hersey. J. Y. Pollard, married Martha Jane Hersey, who was born September 13, 1922, at Dayton, Ohio. No children. They lived in Odessa, Texas (1954). J. Y. Pollard died in 1973.

5. The fifth child of James Onan and Hessie B. Pollard: Allie Carlene Pollard, born August 10, 1919, at Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas. She married in 1948 at Las Vegas, Nevada, to Carlos Miller, who was born September 19, 1916 at St. Louis, Missouri.

Their issue:

1. Denise Sheryl Miller, born October 20, 1949, at Los Angeles, California. There was a second marriage to Curtis Johnson of West Virginia (no further records).

Carlene Pollard served her country as a WAVE in the United States Navy from 1943 to 1946.

6. The sixth child of Onan and Hessie Pollard: Harold Lorell Pollard, born November 4, 1920, Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas. He married

October 27, 1944 at Hereford, Texas, to Jessie Louise Hays, daughter of Reverend and Mrs. J.L. Hays, Jessie Louise Hays, was born November 24, 1919, at Young County, Texas.

Their issue:

1. James Hays Pollard, born August 13, 1945, Wellington, Texas.
2. Barbara Louise Pollard, born May 19, 1947 Odessa, Texas.
3. Michael Lorell Pollard, born March 14, 1950, Wellington, Texas.

Service record for Harold Lorell, the above sixth child, shows that he served the U.S. Navy, Serial No. 616-59-51. Entered the service on April 12, 1945. He was SOM First Class, Anti-Sub-Marine Warfare. Served in the Pacific two years and nine months. Assigned to U.S.S. Pathfinder, a Geodetic Survey Ship for two years, three months. Assigned to U.S.S. Lollardy Destroyer for six months. Lived in Goldsmith, Texas.

7. The seventh child of Onan and Hessie B. Pollard: Jo Beth Pollard, born November 6, 1925 at Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas. She married May 4, 1945, at Las Vegas, Nevada to Herbert Ralph Calvert, son of J. P. Calvert. Ralph Calvert was born August 11, 1917, at Nodaway, Missouri.

Their issue:

1. Ronald Herbert Calvert, born January 28, 1947, at St. Joseph, Missouri.
2. Richard Allen Calvert was born May 30, 1952 at Santa Monica, California.

The H. R. Calverts lived at 3729 Overland Avenue, Los Angeles, California. This ends the James Onan Pollard line.

III. The third child of William Sherwood Pollard and Mary Richerson Pollard: Mattie Virginia Pollard, born September 2, 1885, at Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas. She married November 19, 1905, to Arthur Julian Smith, son of the E.R. Smiths. Arthur was born October 30, 1882, at Atlanta, Georgia. He died April 1, 1944, at Cleburne, Texas and is buried at Pleasant Point, Texas. Mattie is living at Cleburne, to this date 1973.

Their issue:

1. Paul Smith (no middle name) born June 21, 1911, at Lillian, Johnson County, Texas, He married on September 9, 1933, at Fort Worth, Texas, to Evelyn Drake. At the time of this record they have no children.

IV. Three sons of William Sherwood Pollard and Mary R. Pollard: The fourth Albert David Pollard, born November 18, 1887 at Cleburne, Texas, died at one year old on October 12, 1888 at Cleburne, Texas. Buried there.

VI. The sixth child, Melvin Opie Pollard, was born July 30, 1891 at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. He died October 4, 1918 at El Paso, Texas while in the service of his country at Fort Bliss. He died single; died of pneumonia.

IX. The ninth child, William Preston Pollard, born February 10, 1897, at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas, died January 5, 1919, died single.

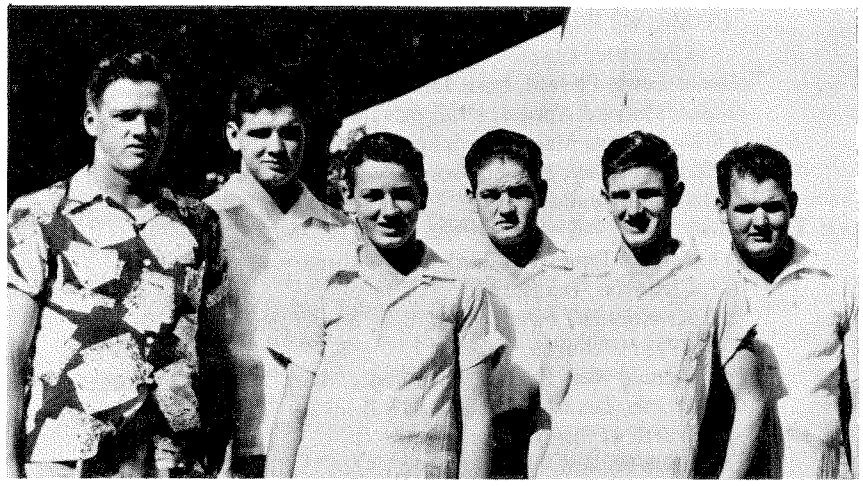
He died at Pleasant Point, Texas and was buried there.

All information on above sons is given on this page, they never married.

VII. The seventh child of William S. and Mary R. Pollard: Lewis Oliver Pollard, born April 2, 1893, at Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas. Lewis Oliver Pollard, married January 17, 1920, at Johnson County, Texas, to Virgie Irene Gilreath, daughter of D.A. and Grace Campbell Gilreath. Virgie was born February 8, 1900 at Burleson, Texas, Johnson County.

Their issue:

1. Mary Grace Pollard, born March 15, 1921, Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas. She married December 25, 1948, at Alvarado, Texas, Johnson County, to James Byron Angel, son of James and Bertie Angel. The couple lives at Lillian, Texas and Mary Grace and Byron Angel, have no children.
2. Frances Lometa Pollard, born July 3, 1923, Alvarado, Texas, married December 12, 1942, at Fort Worth, Texas, to Wesley David Long, son of Lee and Tiny Long. There is no issue. There was a second marriage to Harold Horton.
3. Truett Oliver Pollard, born November 5, 1925, at Alvarado, Texas. He married April 29, 1943 at Fort Worth, Texas, to Johnnie Rae McDonald, daughter of John and Ida Mc Donald. She was born February 24, 1924.



SONS OF LEWIS POLLARD WHO WAS THE SON OF WILLIAM SHERWOOD POLLARD. THEY LIVED AT ALVARADO, TEXAS WHEN THIS PICTURE WAS MADE IN THE 1940's.

Truett Oliver Pollard, Billy Dee Pollard, Finis Lorell Pollard, Bobby Gene Pollard, James Lewis Pollard, LeRoy Pollard and Ronald Preston Pollard.

Their issue:

a1. Linda Ann Pollard, born November 19, 1944, Fort Worth, Texas.

4. Billie Dee Pollard, born November 22, 1927, Alvarado, Texas. He married March 8, 1957, to Bettie Jean Ritchie, of C.C. Ritchie of Alvarado, Texas. Billie Dee married a widow with two daughters and a son, Billy adopted them. Belenda Sue and Valerie Jo.
5. Finis Lorell Pollard, born March 14, 1929, Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas. Married July 3, 1950, Alvarado, Texas.

Their issue:

a1. Jana Carol Pollard, born January 21, 1953, at Fort Worth, Texas.

a2. Stephen Keith Pollard born December 15, 1955, at Fort Worth, Texas.

6. Bobby Gene Pollard (Not Robert but Bobby) born March 18, 1931, Cleburne, Texas. Married November 12, 1953 to Louise Marie Kenny, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Kenny of Route 3, Alvarado, Texas.

Their issue:

a1. Daniel Otis Pollard, born March 24, 1956, at Cleburne, Texas.

b2. Timothy Lewis Pollard, born July 11, 1959, at Cleburne, Texas.

c3. Michael Eugene Pollard, born December 8, 1962, at Cleburne, Texas.

7. James Lewis Pollard, born January 2, 1933, at Burleson, Texas. Married April 3, 1953, Alvarado, Texas, to Lillian Yvonne Mahaney, daughter of Emmett and Lillian Mahaney. Lillian Yvonne, was born September 9, 1933, Alvarado, Texas.

Their issue:

a1. Jeffrey Emmitt Pollard, born February 15, 1957, Cleburne, Texas.

b2. Kristopher Lewis Pollard, born September 30, 1959, Cleburne, Texas.

c3. Ronald Ross Pollard, born September 27, 1963, in Fort Worth, Texas. Address: 1615 Brinkley Street, Fort Worth at time of this record.

8. Doris Sue Pollard, born October 13, 1935, Burleson, Texas, Johnson County, she died October 27, 1935 and is buried near Alvarado, Texas.
9. LeRoy Pollard born September 16, 1936, Burleson, Texas, Married August 7, 1956, to Ann Ell Anthony, daughter of F. A. Anthony of Venus, Texas.

Their issue:

a1. Cody Leroy born January 21, 1963.

b2. Scott Anthony Pollard, born August 9, 1959, Dallas, Texas.

10. Joyce Myrlene Pollard, born September 16, 1936, Alvarado, Texas. Unmarried in 1973.
11. Ronald Preston Pollard, born April 13, 1940, Alvarado, Texas. Unmarried in 1973.

SERVICE RECORD OF LEWIS POLLARD'S SONS

Billy Dee Pollard, trained in Army at Camp Carson, Colorado, from November 1950 to April 1951, when he received a medical discharge. His Serial Number 54021340.

Truett Oliver Pollard, while in the service overseas was addressed: Company P. 187 P.G.S., Serial 38630828. APO No. 68, San Francisco, California.

Bobby Gene Pollard, while in the service was addressed: 3581 A.F.B. Victoria, Texas. (More than this information this writer was unable to secure.)

VIII. Continuing the eighth child of William S. and Mary R. Pollard's line: Viola Pollard, born April 21, 1895, Pleasant Point, Texas, Johnson County. Married February 2, 1914, Cleburne, Texas, to Floyd B. Smith, son of Joseph and Mary Smith.

Their issue:

1. Herman Russell Smith, born December 26, 1914, at Reno, Nevada, to Ruby Lee Maynard, daughter of E. F. Maynard.

Their issue:

a1. Cheryl Lee Smith, born October 24, 1948, Palo Alto, California.

Service record of Herman R. Smith. He entered the U.S. Navy, September 1942. He trained in San Diego, California, stationed at Moffett Field, Eureka, California. Served on Patrol of West Coast in "Lighter-than-Air-Blimp". Was discharged November 1945.

2. Mary Lucille Smith, born September 26, 1916, Godley, Texas, Johnson County. Married May 27, 1939, at Alvarado, Texas to W.H. Strickland (William Hendon Strickland) son of G.C. Strickland.

Their issue:

a1. Linda Faye Strickland, born November 5, 1941. Married July 27, 1962, to Wayne Copeland Strickland.

b2. Jean Ann Strickland, born November 2, 1942 at Cleburne, Texas.

c3. Cheri June Strickland, born May 24, 1950, Cleburne, Texas. Box 332, Alvarado, Texas.

3. James C. Smith, born January 14, 1918, Godley, Texas. Married July 30, 1948, at Kilgore, Texas to Peggy Nell Brooks, daughter of Bryd S. Brooks, of Frisco, Texas.

Their issue:

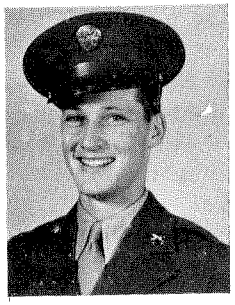
a1. Daniel Jay Smith, born October 13, 1949, at Kilgore, Texas.

4. Billy Fay Smith, born March 22, 1924, Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. Died March 12, 1935, at age of 12 from blood poisioning. Died at Alvarado, Texas, buried at Cahill Chapel Cemetery, near Lillian, Texas, in Johnson County.

5. Floyd B. Smith, Jr., born November 9, 1924, at Pleasant Point, Texas. He was killed in action while serving his country. Killed June 12, 1944. His body lies in that country with his comrades in France where his blood was shed.

JAMES C. SMITH

James C. Smith enlisted in the U.S. Army on September 1940. Trained at Fort Sill, Oklahoma for 18 months, then to Brownwood for several months. Went overseas on August 10, 1943. Served in Africa, Italy and made Southern France invasion and Germany. Awarded five Bronze Stars, Arrowhead, G.G. Medal and American Defense Ribbon. Discharged October 1, 1945. On July 1950 he was called back into service. He spent two years in Japan, and was discharged in May 1952. James C. Smith was in the Fifth Army through Italy and the Seventh Army through France and Germany. He was issued a Korean Service Medal, and United Nations' Ribbon.



FLOYD B. SMITH
grandson of
WILLIAM SHERWOOD POLLARD
son of VIOLA POLLARD SMITH

FLOYD B. SMITH

Floyd B. Smith enlisted on July 9, 1943, had five months training at Camp Fannon, located at Tyler, Texas. He was sent to England in January 1944. Floyd B. Smith, Jr., was in Ireland and made the invasion of Normandy on June 8. He was killed June 12, while in action. He was a B-Ar-Man. He was awarded the Purple Heart, Silver Star, President's Citation, and is buried in the U.S. Military Cemetery at St. Laurent, France. (This writer visited St. Laurent, France Cemetery.)

"I have the honor to inform you that by direction of the President, the Silver Star has been posthumously awarded to your son, Private Floyd B. Smith, Jr., Infantry. The citation reads as follows:

"For gallantry in action, while his platoon was rejoining the battalion it was hit and pinned down in a grassy field by enemy automatic weapon's fire. Private Smith, leaped to his feet in order to gain effective view of the enemy and then poured a withering fire into the Germans from his Browning Automatic rifle. The platoon was enabled to make its way safely to the battalion front as he engaged the enemy in telling effect Private Smith was killed as the last of his platoon gained friendly lines. The heroism and disregard for personal safety reflect great credit upon himself and the Armed Forces of the United States of America."

X. The tenth child of Wm. S. and Mary R. Pollard: Ione Pollard, born January 11, 1899, at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. She married February 6, 1924, at Fort Worth, Texas., Tarrant County, to Elisha John Ball, son of Joseph and Fairy Lee Ball.

E. J. Ball was born October 18, 1884 at Lillian, Johnson County, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Jo Evelyn Ball, born December 21, 1924, Lillian, Texas. She married January 12, 1946, at Rockwell in Rockwell County, Texas to George Hutton Prestridge.

Their issue:

a1. Georgia Ann Prestridge, born February 28, 1947, at Fort Worth.

b2. John Cecil Prestridge, born January 8, 1950, at Fort Worth, Texas.

c3. Rebecca Sue Prestridge, born September 4, 1952, at Fort Worth, Texas.

Address: Ione and E. J. Ball, 4516 Harwen Terrace, Fort Worth, Texas at time of this record.

XI. The eleventh child of Wm. S. and Mary R. Pollard: Bertha Pollard, born December 22, 1900, Pleasant Point, Texas, Johnson County. Married December 1, 1921, Alvarado, Johnson County, Texas to Clarence William Henderson, Jr., of C. W. Henderson. Clarence, Jr., was born November 25, 1892, at St. Louis, Missouri. He died April 7, 1959.

Their issue:

1. Perry Gene Henderson, born August 21, 1931 at Cleburne, Texas. Was unmarried at time of this record. Address: 815 Nolan Street, Kilgore, Texas.

Bertha Pollard passed on, April 30, 1957.

XII. The twelfth child, Omega Pollard, born January 6th, 1903, at Pleasant Point, Texas, Johnson County. She married November 14, 1934, at Fort Worth, Texas, Tarrant County, to Leon Stovall, son of J. O. Stovall. Leon Stovall was born December 31, 1905, at Fredericksburg, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Mary Beth Stovall, born October 29, 1940, at Kilgore, Texas.

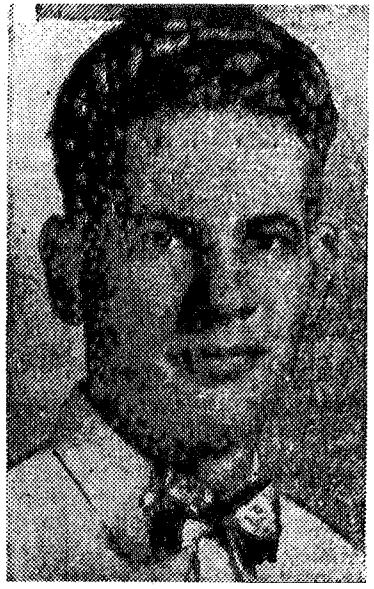
2. John Wayne Stovall, born November 17, 1942, at Kilgore, Texas.

Address: 815 Nolan Street, Kilgore, Texas. (Note, Ione, Bertha and Omega and Pauline have no middle names).

XIII. The thirteenth child of Wm. S. and Mary R. Pollard: Pauline Pollard, born August 1, 1905, Pleasant Point, Texas. Married January 19, 1924, Denton, Texas, to A. W. Pattillo, who was born July 2, 1898 at Lone Oak, Texas. He died March 22, 1962.

Their issue:

1. Helen Elizabeth Pattillo, born July 22, 1925, Denton, Texas. Married January 25, 1952, at Fort Worth, Texas, to David Dale Locker.
   Their issue:
   a1. Robert Dwain Locker, January 24, 1953.
2. Richard W. Pattillo, born January 6, 1927, at Denton Texas. Killed in action June 17, 1951.



RICHARD W. PATILLO, grandson of WM. SHERWOOD POLLARD

RICHARD W. PATTILLO

Richard W. Pattillo was killed in action in Korea, June 17, 1951 while serving his country. He was in battle with the First Marine Division, Company 1, 5th Battalion Machine Gunner. W.S.M.C. He was buried in Forrest Park Cemetery, Livingston, Texas, November 19, 1951.

3. Bennie Marie Pattillo, born January 22, 1930, McCamey, Texas. Married June 10, 1948, Goodrich, Texas, Polk

County, to David E. Ellis, son of Ruby Annie Cox and Wade Parker Ellis.

Their issue:

1. David Wayne Ellis, born June 19, 1950, in Polk County, Texas.
2. Stephen Dale Ellis, born July 18, 1952, Polk County, Texas.

4. Child of Pauline and A.W. Pattillo: Albert Warren Pattillo, born January 10, 1932, LaGrange, Texas. Married March 1, 1952, at Nacogdoches, Texas to Janie Harvey, daughter of Bernie Hudson Harvey and Wife, Donnie Lee Harvey.
   Their issue:
   1. Richard Allen Pattillo, named for Richard W. Pattillo, killed in service.

Address: Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pattillo, Box 969, Nacogdoches, Texas.

News article reads regarding the second child of Pauline and A.W. Pattillo: "Corporal Pattillo killed in Korea. Corporal Richard W. Pattillo, 24, was killed in battle in Korea, June 17th while serving as a Marine-Machine-Gunner. His sister, Helen Pattillo of 2832 Willing Street was notifited. A former student at Kilgore Junior College, Pattillo was called to active duty in January and had been in Korea a month and a half when he was killed. Pattillo, a native of Rio Visto served at Camp Pendleton, California, before going overseas. He was a veteran of World War Two. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.W. Pattillo, live in Nacogdoches, Texas where Pattillo was reared. Other survivors are a sister, Mrs. David E. Ellis of Goodrich, Texas and a brother, Albert Pattillo of Nacogdoches, Texas.

OBITUARY – This ends the Wm. S. and Mary R. Pollard Line.

"William Sherwood Pollard passed away at his home in Lillian, Texas, on Saturday afternoon, February 17, 1940, and his demise brings universal regret to the large circle of friends of the family. He had been ill a week and during the first part of the last week, pneumonia developed. Mrs. Pollard has also been ill for the past ten days. William Sherwood Pollard, born February 15, 1860 in Calhoun County, Alabama, near Kemp Creek, married in Tennessee, December 16, 1880 to Mary Elizabeth Richerson. They came to Texas in 1882, locating at Cleburne. In 1889 they moved to Pleasant Point community and there Mr. and Mrs. Pollard have lived since then. Almost 60 years ago Mr. Pollard united with the Methodist Church and he was a member of Cahill Chapel at the time of his passing. He had passed his 80th birthday two days before his death, and had he survived he and Mrs. Pollard would have cele- their 60th anniversary of wedding. Because of the serious illness of Mrs. Pollard, brief funeral rites were held privately at the home, preceding the service at the church.

Mr. Pollard was a man who possessed many friends, because he was a friend to mankind. He was honorable and generous in his dealings with all. He was quick to recognize the virtues and good traits of those with whom he

became associated. He was one of the last to criticize or condemn. He never failed to respond to the call of distress or of need from the unfortunate in church and community. He could always be relied upon to do his share. He was loyal to the interests of his neighbors and devoted to the welfare of his family.

Interment was a Pleasant Point Cemetery with J. H. Coleman in charge. Pallbearers were his grandsons: Herman, J. C., and Paul Smith, J.Y. and Metze Pollard, W.H. Strickland. 'Tis ever wrong to say a good man dies.'

DAVID ONAN POLLARD
(Third child of David Peoples Pollard and Frances Minnerva Liggett)

David Onan Pollard was born November 10, 1866, Cobb County, Georgia, (with the nearest post office in Cave Springs).

With his parents, shortly after the War-Between-the-States, he and his sister, "Betty", and older brother, William Sherwood Pollard, migrated to Maury County, Tennessee, near the city of Columbia, to a small village called Mount Pleasant, Tennessee. In the year of 1880, this family migrated to Texas.

The Barnes family and the Pollard family pooled their money and took them as far as Johnson County, Texas.

DAVID ONAN POLLARD

ALLIE OWENS
(MRS. DAVID ONAN POLLARD)
mother of
CLARENCE O. POLLARD

VILLAGE CHURCH
at Lillian, Texas, Johnson County

David Onan Pollard married on April 1, 1888 to Miss Allie Owens, daughter of James Henry Owens and Mary Catharine Ramsey Owens.(Here let us state that James Henry Owens was born in Habersham County, Georgia, son of John Owens and Martha Talbot Owens.) He migrated to Mississippi, and then to Arkansas where he met and married Mary Catharine Ramsey, daughter of William Ramsey (formerly of Calloway County, Kentucky and North Carolina). They married on the date of April 1, 1888, by Reverend J. A. Shackleford of Baptist faith.

The first two years of their married life they spent at Pleasant Point, Texas, a farming area. It was in this small village that Katie Irene Pollard, was born on December 22, 1889. (Record of Katie Irene Pollard to follow).

They then moved to what was called the Watkins Place, post office, Mansfield, Texas. While living there, James Roston Pollard was born. (Record of James Roston Pollard to follow).

Later the family moved to the Chorn Place, near Mansfield, Johnson County, Texas, only three miles from Mansfield.

Clarence Owens Pollard, was born here on April 15, 1895 at dawn. (Record to follow).

The father, David Onan Pollard, combined two careers serving as Constable and farmer.

In 1897 the family moved to Cleburne, Texas. Onan Pollard served as Chief of Police and also Chief of the Fire Department.

He ran for the office of Sheriff and was defeated by a small number of votes. He then took a position with the Sante Fe Railroad where he worked for the next nine years.

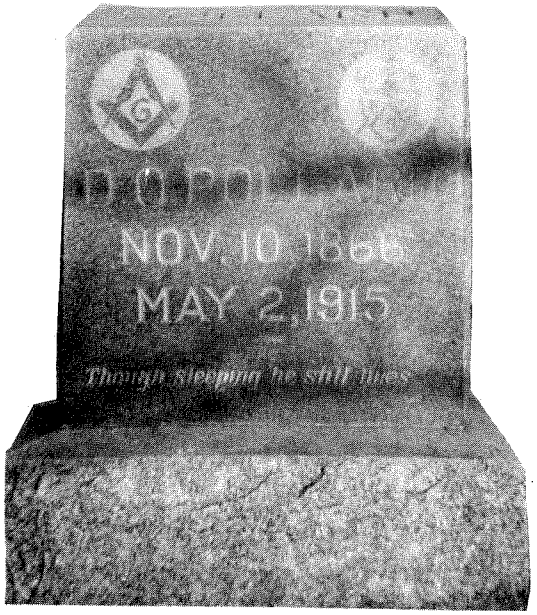
In 1908, Governor Tom Campbell appointed David Onan Pollard to take charge at the penitentiary.

The next move was to Rusk, Texas where he was under-keeper at that Institution. In about a year, he was transferred to Huntsville, Texas where he was a Storekeeper for the penitentiary.

In 1910, the family moved to Amarillo, Texas where Mr. Pollard served as Special Agent for the Santa Fe Railroad. He was later elected to serve Potter County Farm as Superintendent.

He was taken ill and at the age of forty-eight, he passed on leaving four sons and one daughter.

One son, Raymond Perry Pollard, was born while the family lived at Cleburne, Texas, 1900. Raymond Pollard died, unmarried, in Austin, Texas, 1950.



Grave of David Onan Pollard

KATIE IRENE POLLARD

KATIE IRENE POLLARD

Katie Irene Pollard, born December 22, 1889 in Johnson County, Texas.

Irene graduated from Cleburne High School in 1908. She then moved to Rusk, Texas, with her parents in that year. During the summer, she attended the Sam Houston Normal Institute at Huntsville, Texas, thus remaining in the home with her family. The family was transferred to Huntsville, then she secured a position in the Huntsville Public School, teaching the sixth grade.

That year a new Principal came to the school, Mr. William Albert Pile. Warm friendship ripened into love and the two married December 29, 1910.

The fall of that year, Mr. Pile accepted a position at San Angelo, Texas, where they made their home for the next ten years. In the meantime Mr. Pile had been made Principal of the High School there and enjoyed the love, respect and confidence of all who knew the handsome man. Mr. Pile attended the University of Chicago during the summers.

In 1920, William Albert Pile, moved to Dallas to teach at Bryan High School and the closing years of his teaching were spent in the Woodrow Wilson High School.

He passed away November 6, 1951, and is interred at Restland Cemetery, Dallas, Texas.

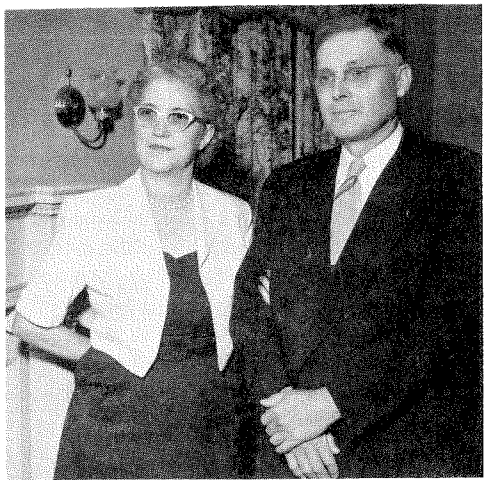
While living in San Angelo, their daughter, Josephine, was born to William and Irene Pile. She arrived September 2, 1918. The family moved to Dallas in 1920. After Josephine graduated from Dallas High School in 1935, she attended the University of Texas, the school where her father had secured his degree. After a brilliant college career, Josephine was graduated Summa Cum Laude in 1939. She had also been honored by having been elected to Phi Beta Kappa. She was a member of Chi Omega Sorority (Iota chapter).

JOSEPHINE PILE
daughter of
IRENE POLLARD PILE and
WILLIAM ALBERT PILE

After teaching English in Breckenridge and Corpus Christi, Texas, Josephine with a fine English background became an editor for the Baptist Publishing House. (Sunday School Board). She wrote a textbook entitled, "Upward" and "Now I Belong."

After both Mr. Pile and Mrs. David Onan Pollard, passed on, Irene decided to move to Nashville, Tennessee to be near her one and only daughter. Today they live at 4519 Yancy Drive in Nashville. Josephine has never married.

WILLIAM ALBERT PILE



JAMES ROSTON POLLARD and wife
LAURA JANET MASSIE POLLARD

JAMES ROSTON POLLARD

(First son of David Onan Pollard and Allie Owens)

Born May 1-1892 Died July 26-1973

While living at the Watkins Place, near Mansfield, Texas the second child of David Onan Pollard and Allie Owens Pollard, was born.

II. James Roston Pollard, attended schools at Cleburne, Texas and Huntsville, Texas.

He taught school a short time after which he was employed by the Santa Fe' Railroad and affiliated companies at Amarillo, Texas, and other points in West Texas.

In March 1917, he went to work for John T. Owsley Insurance Agency at Chickasha, Oklahoma and was thus employed for nine years, after which he was appointed State Agent of the Fidelity Union Fire Insurance Company of Oklahoma and Arkansas. That company was reinsured by the Firemen's Insurance Company, a Group of Newark, New Jersey. He continued as State Agent of companies of the group in Oklahoma and remained in Oklahoma City, where he moved in 1927.

In 1935 he went to the General Agency Fire and Casualty business and retired from said business in 1970.

James Roston, known as "Jimmie" to his Oklahoma friends, engaged in stock farming. He was a charter member of the Hereford Breeder's Association. He was a member of the Beacon Club, the Blue Goose International, also Masonic Lodge.

He was married on June 20, 1918, to Laura Janet Massie, daughter of William Ambrose and Mattie Bell Browning Massie. The Massie's were married November 1881 in Henry County, Kentucky. Mr. Massie died June 1924,

and Mrs. Massie passed away August 1943. They were originally from Virginia, migrating to Kentucky.

Laura Massie Pollard's parents were slave owners. She used to delight in hearing them tell of various "old uncles and aunts", as they called them.

Laura was born in a rambling old Southern farm house, in which her mother too, first saw the light of day, thirty-nine years before. Mrs. Massie was the youngest of fourteen.

Laura is the youngest of six children. Her happiest days were spent in the tall blue grass or among giant oak, beech and hickory trees. She waded in the clear, cool streams with her brother Edward, three years older than herself.

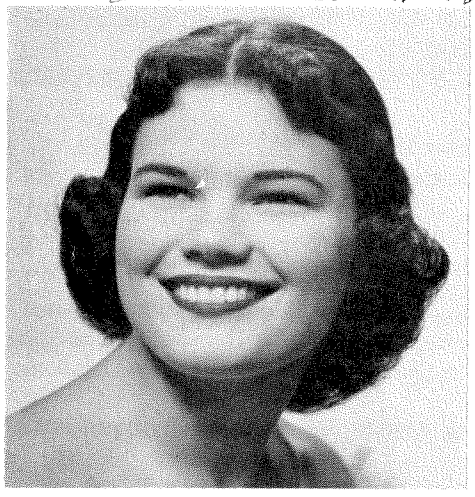
She attended Funk Seminary in LaGrange, Kentucky and claims to have been only an "average" student, to quote her.

She moved in 1906 to the wide, rolling plains of West Texas and lived on a large cattle ranch. Happy days but quite different from "the Old Kentucky Home far away."

After a few years, her sister became postmistress at Friona, Texas. She made Laura her assistant. It was in the post office, September 1916 that Laura met the young man who was to become her husband, James Roston Pollard.

He was working for the Hamlin Supply Company, in connection with the Santa Fe' Railroad. After a few months, he quit his job, and started on his first experience in the fire and casualty insurance business as a bookkeeper for the John T. Owsley Company in Chickasha, Oklahoma.

The family later moved to Oklahoma City in 1927.



Daughter of James Roston Pollard

On January 30, 1932, their little daughter was born, coming to bless and enrich their lives. They named her Virginia Lee.

Virginia attended Horace Mann Elementary School, Harding Junior High School and graduated from Classen High School, June 1949. She attended

Gulf Park College, Gulfport, Mississippi where she won recognition in art, also horsemanship. She entered the University of Oklahoma at Norman, Oklahoma, entering the Fine Arts Department. She became a member of Gamma Phi Beta Sorority and Gamma Alpha Chi Honorary Advertising Fraternity. Besides being strikingly beautiful, she was known for her sunny disposition and charming personality. She was chosen Homecoming queen.

While attending the University of Oklahoma, she again met the boy she had known in her kindergarten class at Horace Mann. William Roberts attended Classen High School, was graduated from Shattuck Military Academy, Fairbault, Minnesota. He attended the University of Oklahoma where he was a member of Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity. He graduated from the University of Oklahoma in June 1954, with a degree in Business Administration. He entered the armed service as a Second Lieutenant.

William Roberts and Virginia Lee Pollard were married January 30, 1953 at the Crown Street Christian Church in Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Their issue:

1. James William Roberts, born July 19, 1955, in ~~Vies-Baden~~, Germany, where Bill, Jr. was stationed during World War II.
2. Jon Alan Roberts, born June 29, 1957, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.
3. Laura Louise Roberts, was born February 7, 1959, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

The Roberts live at 2632 N. W. 56th Street, Oklahoma City.

James Roston Pollard died August 1973. The J.R. Pollard home is at 1400 Canden Drive, Nichols' Hills, Oklahoma City.

CLARENCE OWENS POLLARD

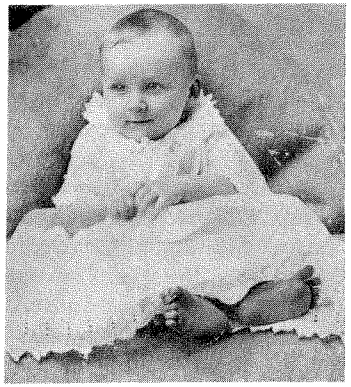
The third child of David Onan Pollard and Allie Owens Pollard, was born April 15, 1895 at Mansfield, Johnson County, Texas, (near Cleburne).

Clarence Pollard attended West Texas State University at Canon, Texas. After his father passed away, he took up the career of salesman, with his first experience selling International Correspondence Courses, winning the national prize which was a trip to New York City with all expenses paid.

There he met Mr. Eddie Schake, brother of the manager, John Schake, of William Waltke Co., St. Louis, Mo. C.O. was employed by Waltke Co. with Alabama as his territory. While working the city of Birmingham, Alabama he met Florence Howell.

CLARENCE POLLARD

October 1, 1921, in Birmingham, Alabama, Florence married Clarence Owens Pollard, son of David Onan Pollard and Allie Owens Pollard. They were married by Rev. J. A. Bryan, D.D., a Presbyterian minister who had won the love and respect of all Alabamians. His statue is on the lawn of the Jefferson



CLARENCE OWENS POLLARD

County Courthouse. . . "A man of God kneeling in prayer."

Florence met Clarence Pollard while he was travelling for the William Waltke Company of St. Louis, Missouri. He sold a product called Lava Soap.

They traveled over the states of Alabama and Mississippi, staying brief periods of time in apartments in Mobile, Alabama, Montgomery, Alabama, and Birmingham, Alabama, to name a few.

When Proctor-Gamble bought the William Waltke Company, Clarence Pollard was given full charge of the bulk supplies, because he had excelled in putting the product "Oxydol" on the market for Waltke Company, a product which gave Proctor-Gamble too much competition.

The Clarence Pollards and their two children, David Onan Pollard and Marion Louise Pollard, (three years and one year old,) moved to Atlanta, Georgia, where they lived at The Babbage Apartments.

From Atlanta, Georgia, they moved to Kansas City, Missouri, and from Missouri were transferred to Dallas, Texas. Later they moved to Chicago, Illinois, and on to Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, and finally to California in January, 1932.

Clarence changed positions from Proctor-Gamble Company to Cowles Detergent, taking complete charge of the West Coast for Cowles Company.

He became interested in the Utilities Supply Company and bought it eventually from the three men who formerly owned shares in it.

Clarence Owens Pollard, was a member of The Jonathan Club of Los Angeles and a member of The Uplifters' Club of Santa Monica, California, an organization composed of famous motion picture stars and prominent business men.

He was honored by "Happy" Chandler, Governor of Kentucky, who named him a Kentucky Colonel.

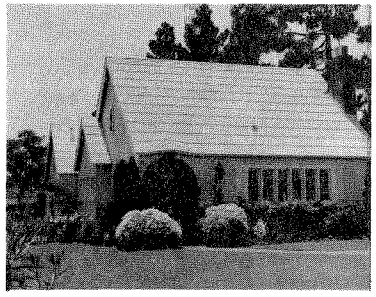
He joined the Zamora Shrine in Birmingham, Alabama 1921 and when he refused to transfer to Los Angeles, Almalikah Shrine, the L. A. group gave him a Life Membership and Honorary. He received his fifty-year medal from the Masonic Lodge in the early 1970's. He also received his fifty year medal from The Elks, having joined in Chickasha, Oklahoma. During 1957-58, he was National Commander of the Balloon Corps of World War One. He joined the American Legion and Veterans' of World War One. (During World War I, he was stationed at Camp John Wise, Texas, 96th Bed.)

Like his late father, David Onan Pollard, of Texas, Clarence has an attractive personality, as well as being a handsome man. Being an extrovert, he made many friends over the entire U.S.A., but if called to name some of his closest friends who are living today we would name:

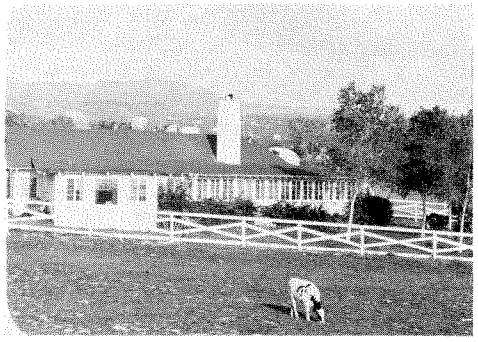
Glen Brubaker of Hemet, California, Leroy Pollard, Dudley Morrison, a group who have a luncheon club that meets every Friday in Hemet.

Gustav Wolff of Memphis, Tennessee, is another close friend and the membership of the National Balloon Corps of World War One number among his finest friends as well.

Clarence served as National Commander of the Balloon Corps and attends their annual conventions. He organized the Hemet Chapter, Bed Eighteen for the Ballooners.



CAPE COD HOUSE

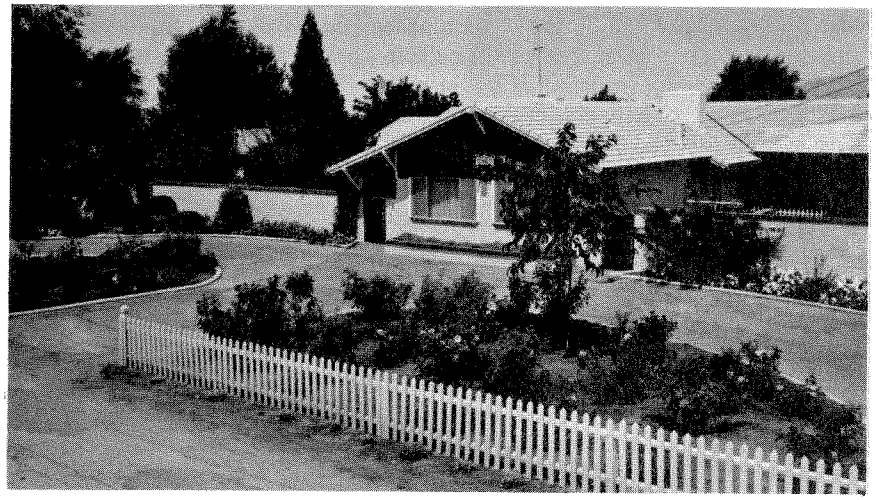


CIRCLE C RANCH

During the years, his residences have been 253 25th Street, Santa Monica, California; Greencraig Road in Brentwood, California; and later 402 21st Place, Santa Monica, where he lived from 1934 to 1951. He then bought the Silver Stag Ranch, fifteen miles south of Hemet, California. He lived there for three and a half years commuting over the weekends to Los Angeles. Later he bought the Circle C Ranch, a famous old landmark of 685 acres. The family

lived there for four and a half years, selling the property.

They lived in Arcadia for a year in an apartment until they decided where they preferred to buy a home. They found themselves back in Hemet because it was then smog-free. They bought a lovely home at 41734 Crest Drive, Hemet, on the corner of Stanford Street–a home of some 3,000 square feet.



CREST DRIVE HOUSE

He married October 1, 1921, Birmingham, Alabama, Jefferson County, to Florence Stuart Howell, daughter of Percy Vincent Howell and B. Benita King.

Florence was born October 17, 1898 at White Plains, Georgia, Greene County. (Dr. C. C. King, attending). (Record of Florence to follow).

Their issue:

1. Florence Irene Pollard
2. David Onan Pollard
3. Marion Louise Pollard

Florence Irene Pollard, born August 17, 1922, with Dr. James Garber, attending. Florence Irene died at birth from an injury inflicted at the time of her birth. She was buried in Elmwood Cemetery (8201) Babyland, in West End suburb of Birmingham, Alabama.

David Onan Pollard, born May 6, 1924, Birmingham, Alabama, with Dr. Samuel G. Stubbins, M.D., attending at South Highlands, Infirmary.

David O. Pollard, married September 7, 1949 at Brentwood, California, with Rev. Dean Osterberg officiating. He married Barbara June Clark, daughter of Eileen Perisho and Clayton Willard Clark. Barbara was born June 4, 1929, Leavenworth, Kansas. She died April 3, 1956 in Santa Monica, California, from cerebral hemorrhage. She is buried at the Fourteenth St. Cemetary, Santa Monica, California. There were no children.

David Pollard married the second time December 29, 1960, in New York City. He married at 2 p.m. to Barbara Lois Rose, daughter of John Louis Rose and Ann Jaffee Rose. Barbara was born September 9, 1930, Chicago, Illinois.

She died February 9, 1968, Newport Beach, California, of a brain tumor and is buried at Westminister, California.

Their issue:

1. David Orrin Pollard, born January 12, 1963, Manhattan, New York, at the Doctors' Hospital, with Dr. Thomas Jefferson Parks, M.D., attending. David was born at 10:10 p.m. (six pounds, 12 oz.)

David's mother, Barbara Lois Rose, was the daughter of John Louis Rose born June 1, 1892 in Rochester, New York, son of Louis Rosenbloom, and Deborah Newman. John Louis Rose's wife, Ann Jaffee was born September 28, 1900, in Bay City, Michigan, the daughter of Kalman Jaffee and Bertha Edlestein. They married May 3, 1923, in Detroit, Michigan. John Louis Rose, known to his friends as "Jack," is International Chairman of the Curling Association (a game similar to hockey).

David Orrin Pollard attended a private school in Costa Mesa. After his mother's passing, he went to live with his grandparents in Hemet, California, the Pollards.

David attended Little Lake School in Hemet.

David's father married the third time to Sue Margaret Whitson, daughter of Al Stanley Whitson and Olas Lois Williams Whitson. The marriage took place at the Church of Christ, February 14, 1969, Brownfield, Texas. Sue was born April 2, 1930, Shamrock, Texas. (Record of Sue Whitson to follow).

The couple moved to Orange, California where David Orrin entered Fletcher Elementary School. The following year the family moved to Brownfield, Texas where David Orrin entered Colonial Heights School . . . where he is today attending (1973).

He was christened at Arcadia's Episcopal Church of the Transfiguration, with Rev. Ewan, officiating on October 20, 1963.

David joined the Cub Scouts in 1972.

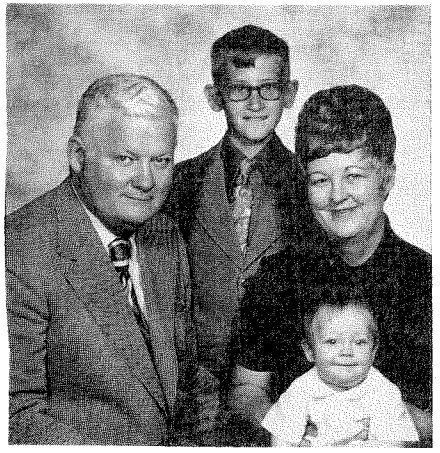
2. Alaric Howell Pollard, was born July 10, 1971, at Lubbock, Texas, with Dr. Robert Arnold, M.D., attending. Alaric was born at 1:10 p.m. at the Methodist Hospital. They live at 1305 East Hester Street, Brownfield.

Before we leave the David O. Pollard, and Sue Whitson Pollard family, we wish to leave this record of education: David graduated from Santa Monica High School in February 1942 . . . after having come through Franklin Elementary School and Lincoln Junior High School of Santa Monica.

At one time he was enrolled with the 29 highest I.Q.'s of Los Angeles County, at Carthay Circle, at the selection of Dr. Grace Fernald, who had a special interest in David's progress, she of U.C.L.A. Psychology Dept.

He had hardly enrolled in U.C.L.A., 1942 before the war became serious and the family moved to Dallas, Texas, temporarily leasing their Santa Monica home to aircraft workers.

While in Dallas, David took the West Point Examination and was selected as an alternate. But changes were many. He volunteered his services to his country and was enlisted at San Antonio, Texas, sent to Sheppard Field, to Savannah, Illinois, Stillwater, Oklahoma, and to Amarillo, Texas, and to Eglin Field, Florida, where he was in the Buzz Bomb outfit. Two days before



Pollard Studies Minute Organisms As Electronmicropist at Columbia

"Although new instruments and techniques are constantly being developed for medical research, all have limitations. The final interpretation of what these machines reveal is up to the trained researcher. Thus there can never be a substitute for him," comments Mr. David Pollard of the Mathematics Department.

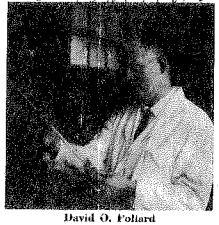
As an electronmicropist at Columbia University Chemistry Department and St. Barnabas Medical Research Center, before coming to Poly, he conducted research in cellular structure and tissue. He has studied at the California Institute of Technology, the University of Chicago and Columbia University.

Affords Great Advances

"The electronmicroscope must be given due credit, however. A person can not realize the amazing advances that this instrument has permitted unless he can comprehend the proportions to which this machine magnifies. It is not unusual to enlarge the image of a specimen hundreds of thousands of times. Thus where a normal micropist imagines a nucleus as the minute center of a microscopic cell, the electronmicropist thinks of it in terms of a large mass the size of a fist.

He further mentioned that the first pictures of a virus were taken with the help of an electronmicroscope and that quite possibly this instrument will prove that cancer is a virus.

He feels that the future of the electron microscope is always expanding. "The average electron microscope now costs only ten to twenty thousand dollars. At this price many firms are buying them to set up research centers for their products. Chemical, pharmaceutical, even textile companies are using the electron microscope."



David O. Pollard

Microscope Invaluable

He continued by mentioning that there was no substitute for the regular microscope. "The preparation of a specimen for the electron microscope generally follows this pattern: first it's killed, then dehydrated and hardened into a solid plastic block which is cut so thin that 500,000 slices can be made from an inch. After this is done the cell material is so distorted, the researcher is never sure what he sees is natural to the cell or produced by all the preparation.

Old Microscope Limited

"Furthermore, the electron microscope is limited by size. As it becomes more delicate it also requires more and more complex machinery to function. Thus with some of the newer equipment it takes a fifty foot sphere to look at one germ. The compound microscope, however, not only is relatively small but also permits you to view the living specimen."

As to the microscope's future he said that, "although the electron microscope has contributed greatly to research, the growth in the number of instruments needed to keep it up to date and the complexity which these instruments necessitate can and may prevent it from further development in chemical and biological research."

the war ended, David was released, though he had been prepared for overseas' service.

Upon his return to his home in Santa Monica, California, he enrolled at California Institute of Technology. He was among the top twelve who stood the entrance examination of 1,200 applying.

Professional student awes science pupils

Eventful, unusual, intriguing, unbelievable —what can one say to describe the life of Mr. Pollard, physics, chemistry and physical science teacher.

David O. Pollard III was born May 6, 1924, in Birmingham, Alabama. Since that time he has covered most of the continental United States, and lived in a number of the larger cities.

Although he only had one degree, a Masters in English, he has studied at several colleges and universities. He has four majors, English, Math, physics, and chemistry. Mr. Pollard had enough hours for his bachelor's degree, but skipped the final test in order to work. Most of his studying was done at Cal Tech, Chicago, UCLA, Columbia, and the University of California at Irvine, but he has studied at 16 colleges and universities.

At the University of California at Irvine Mr. Pollard was working on his doctorate in English, but he decided to give it up because he said it wasn't worth the effort.

"When I was at Cal Tech between 1946-1948, it was one of the most reputable schools in the country. The freshman class was limited to 160 freshmen a year," Mr. Pollard said.

"The school had three Nobel prize winners on the faculty. My freshman chemistry professor, Linus Pauling, later won two Nobel prizes," he added.

Before coming to Brownfield, the combination chemistry, physics, and physical science teacher, worked as an electron microscopist. His work involved several medical research projects. Working with the electron microscope involved such activities as cutting an inch of a substance into three million slices, Mr. Pollard said.

At St. Barnabas Hospital in Newark, Mr. Pollard was a pioneer in a project using new methods for transplanting teeth.

Mr. Pollard is a member of MENSA, an organization for persons with high I.Q.'s. Only about 10,000 persons in the United States are members of the organization.

Foreign languages are of major interest to Mr. Pollard. He has books in 115 foreign languages. As an added attraction, he owns a short wave radio set which he uses to pick up overseas broadcasts. These foreign language broadcasts he interprets himself.

Mr. Pollard also enjoys reading. He says he likes to keep up with the news. This he can easily do because of his ability to read 7000 words a minute.

He also likes to write, and has sold several scientific articles.

About his hobbies, Mr. Pollard said, "I have my interests and hobbies like anyone else. I enjoy doing them. Maybe I'm missing some part of life, but maybe they're missing some part, too."

Mr. Pollard said he learned to fly a plane before he could drive a car, and fired a submachine gun before he learned to fire a rifle. He has met several Nobel prize winners.

"Some of my friends in New York have since become famous authors. Another friend in New York also has become famous. This friend is Mary of the famous folk group, Peter, Paul, and Mary," Mr. Pollard said.

Mr. Pollard has taught school for eight years prior to his coming to Brownfield, including one year of teaching at a school for students with high I.Q.'s only.

His wide and varied knowledge of unusual and intriguing facts are helpful to many of his students.

Almost any question asked in class can be answered with a story of personal experiences. His actually being involved in scientific experiments helps greatly in explaining his subject.

Mr. Pollard adds flavor and variety to his courses which make them interesting even to the most bored students.

In 1969, he married the former Sue Maragret Whitson, a one-time teacher in the Brownfield School system.

For three years he attended California Tech and lived in Flemming Hall. The English instructor informed David that David excelled in English and that he should be furthering his knowledge in this field instead of Science. So,

David withdrew from California Tech and enrolled at the University of Chicago. He received his M.A. (August 1951) in Old English and Romance of Languages. In the meantime he wrote articles that found a place in the Chicago papers.

David O. Pollard attended the University of California (extension from 1952-55) then took courses at Los Angeles City College and State College. He attended Columbia University in New York City, 1955-1957. The summer of 1964 he attended U.C.L.A. School of Education. In 1967 he took a course at the University of Southern California and the latter part of 1967-68 he took several courses at U.C.L.A. In 1967-69 he took work at University of California at Irvine, in Orange County, California. In 1971 he took a course at Texas School of Technology. He is a member of the MENSA Club composed of the highest I.Q.'s in America and Great Britian.

His wife, Sue-Margaret Whitson graduated from Samnorwood High School, 1947, and later attended Abilene Christian College where she received a B.S. Degree, 1951. She attended the University of Texas, and Sul Ross State College, where she received a M. Ed., 1957. She later attended the University of Colorado, then went to Rutgers, the State University of New Jersey. She also attended Texas Technological University and West Texas State University at Canon, Texas. Finally she attended the University of Illinois where she specialized in Remedial Reading. It was at this institution that she met David O. Pollard.

After their marriage February 14, 1969, at Brownfield, Texas, the couple moved to Orange, California, where David taught the highest I.Q.'s in Orange County for one year. After this the family moved to Brownfield, Texas, where David accepted a position teaching three Sciences in the high school, 1971-72.

David had taught at Polytechnic High School in Brooklyn Heights, New York. When the family moved South, he taught at Black Foxe Military School until the school closed its doors. Then he taught at El Segundo, California, taking the place of one on a sabbatical leave. He taught Mathematics that year. From there he was sent to Monrovia, California, and taught in the high school. Later he studied at U.C. at Irvine as mentioned above. She is also a member of Mensa Club.

MRS. DAVID O. POLLARD
(Sue Margaret Whitson Line)

Sue Margaret Whitson, born April 2, 1930, at Shamrock, Texas, with Dr. A. B. Ziegler, M.D., attending. She is the daughter of Ola Lois Williams Whitson and Al Stanley Whitson. She is the eldest of five children. Sue Margaret was named for her two grandmothers, Dora Margaret Duren and Susie Caroline Bagwell.

Her mother, Olas Lois Williams, is the daughter of James Perry Williams and Dora Margaret Duren. Ola Lois Williams, was born December 12, 1909, at Cook County, Texas. She lives in Shamrock, Texas. Al Stanley Whitson, was born October 11, 1896, at Wiley, Alabama, near Tuscaloosa. He married March 31, 1929, by A. C. Woods.

Ola Lois Williams is the daughter of Dora Margaret Duren. Dora Margaret was born August 20, 1880, Cook County, Texas. Died July 20, 1942, Vale,

Oregon. James Perry Williams, her husband, was born August 14, 1870, married September 1, 1898. He died April 24, 1968, at Oceano, California, and is buried at Vale, Oregon.

James Perry Williams, was the son of Hilary Perry Williams born June 8, 1854, in Cook County, Texas. Died July 29, 1926, Cook County, Texas. His wife, Julia Dennis, was born March 4, 1859, Cook County, Texas. Died February 2, 1937, Cook County, Texas.

Dora Margaret Duren was the daughter of Robert Daniel Duren, born February 27, 1857, Cook County, Texas. Married on January 6, 1874, and died in 1913 in Cook County, Texas. His wife, Josephine Jackson, was born in Cook County, Texas, died September 2, 1858, in Cook County, Texas.

Checking back to Al Stanley Whitson, planter of Shamrock, Texas, Al is the son of James Monroe Whitson, born December 15, 1858, at Whitsontown, Alabama, near Tuscaloosa. He married Susie Caroline Bagwell, born May 12, 1863, at Wiley, Alabama. Died May 18, 1946, Collingsworth County, Texas.

James Monroe Whitson, was the son of Thomas Jefferson Whitson, born January 16, 1824, Green County, Alabama. Married October 12, 1843. Died December 14, 1900, at Wiley, Alabama. He married Rebecca Ann Stanley October 12, 1822, Bear Creek, Alabama. Died October 2, 1912, at Wiley, Alabama.

Thomas Jefferson Whitson was the son of James Whitson of Tennessee. James was a successful manufacturer of hats. His wife was Elizabeth Tony.

Checking back to Susie Caroline Bagwell, she was the daughter of Wiley G. Bagwell, born August 2, 1820, near Tuscaloosa, Alabama. He married 1840. Died August 1833. He married Euphemia Lollar, born November 26, 1824, in Alabama. She died 1891 in Alabama.

John Calvin Dennis, was born March 5, 1804, in Indiana (no town given). He went to Kentucky when he was seventeen years of age, where he later married his first wife, Amelia Clayton, in 1824. Amelia was born August 15, 1804.

Their issue:

1. Mary Evans Dennis, born January 1825.
2. Jessie James Dennis, born January 1827.
3. Elizabeth Jane Dennis, born January 1829
4. Ely Yancy Dennis, born January 1831
5. Cynthia Ann Dennis, born April 1833.
6. Lucy Annie Dennis, born January, 1835.
7. William Calvin Dennis, born December 1837.
8. Jerreta Caroline Dennis, born February 1839.
9. Juliana Josephine Dennis, born February 1841.

Amelia Clayton Dennis died in 1843.

"All of these came to Texas with a wagon train from Kentucky when Grandpa Dennis came, except the two last named and they never came to Texas. They used to visit at Bulcher. Elizabeth Jane Dennis was the grandmother of Artie and Marvin Williams. Marvin's wife was Winnie Duren. She was Dora Margaret's sister."

John Dennis and Delila Thomas, married June 29, 1845. Delia Thomas

Dennis, had a son by her first husband. His name was Robert Ethrige. He was born January 3, 1840.

Issue of John Dennis and Delila Dennis:

1. John McChesney Dennis, born April 8, 1846.
2. Letitia Catherine Dennis, born March 6, 1848.
3. Thomas Purnel Dennis, born May 8, 1849.
4. Harper Lindsay Dennis, born February 6, 1851.
5. Joseph Austin Dennis, born March 4, 1853.
6. Cordelia Belzora Dennis, born March 6, 1855.
7. Samuel Henry Dennis, born March 11, 1857.
8. Julia Savina Dennis (great grandmother) born March 5, 1859.

9&10. Allen Bouregard, a twin, born August 10, 1861, and Albert Davis Dennis, the other twin, born August 10, 1861.

John Dennis, died March 21, 1881.

Delila Dennis, died in 1885. (The month and day were too dim to read). The John Dennis family moved from Kentucky to Texas with a wagon train and settled in Kaufman County and Hunt County, Texas, in 1849. Afterward they went to Cook County, Texas, (Bulcher) in the 1860's at the close of the War Between the States. Elrige was killed in the war.

"Great grandfather Williams was born in Ireland and came to the U.S.A. His name was Hilliary Perry Williams III. Three generations since migrating to the U.S.A.

He settled in Rhode Island and later married a full-blooded Indian (only trace of Indian blood).

"My great, great, grandfather Williams, was born in 1802. He came to Alabama and married Amy Jnoes (Jones in English) who was born in Holland in 1807, and came to the U.S.A. when one yeat old and settled in Alabama.

"Grandfather's name was Hilliary Perry Williams IV. They had fifteen sons and one daughter (Aunt Daisy said, she saw only four of them). Six of my father's brothers were killed in the war.

"They moved from Alabama to Texas when my father was eight years of age." (Sue's great grandfather). Grandfather Williams is buried in Kaufman County Cemetery, thirty miles from Dallas. Grandmother Williams died March 18, 1882, and is buried in Bulcher Cemetery." (The above was written by the great aunt of Sue's) Bible Records.

MARION LOUISE POLLARD
(Mrs. Dennis Brandt Pickens, Jr.)

Marion Louise Pollard, the third child of Clarence Owens Pollard and Florence Howell Pollard, was named for Alice Marion Thompson McClannahan, wife of the Mayor of Columbus, Mississippi. Alice Marion was named for Marion McCormick, a noted newspaper journalist of Mobile, Alabama.

The name "Louise" is that of the sister of Florence Howell, who was a

genius in music. (The name Louise was also given to Marjorie Louise Howell, (brother of Florence) Daughter of Henry L. Howell.

Marion Louise Pollard, was born October 11, 1926, at 12:22 midnight in South Highlands Infirmary, Birmingham, Jefferson County, Alabama. Dr. Samuel G. Stubbins, M.D., whose name is prominent in Alabama Historical Medical Records, attended at the birth. (No. 48252 Volume 97, Fales.)(Marion's birth certificate number.)

At birth, Marion weighed eight pounds and one and one-half ounces. She was twenty-two inches tall. Her well-shaped head was covered with chestnut brown curls and her large blue eyes contributed to her beauty as an infant.

On November 14, 1926, Marion Louise was christened at The Church of the Advent (Episcopal) by Rector Charles C. Clingman, who later became the Bishop of Kentucky. Bishop Middletown S. Barnwell, was also present at the ceremony for he had christened her brother, David O. Pollard, two and a half years before this date.

Some of the other babies who came to Birmingham about the same time she put in her appearance, were Malcolm Pendleton, Dolores Rutz, Ann Elizabeth Speer, Glenn Martin, John Robert Baldwin, Grigsby Sibly Hood, Charles C. Pinckney the Fifth, John Jefferson Hooper and Betty Ann Graves.

The Clarence O. Pollard family lived at Arlington Avenue, South, a few blocks from Five Points, off Highland Avenue, Birmingham.

At the age of one year, Marion with her family moved to Atlanta, Georgia, and took an apartment on LaFayette Drive, the Babbage Apartments, near Peachtree Circle. The family moved the following November to Kansas City, Missouri, with trips to Florida in the meantime.

At three years of age, Marion and the family moved to Dallas, Texas, living there almost three years. From Dallas the family moved to Chicago, Illinois, and took an apartment in The Sheridan Beach Hotel. After almost a year the family again was transferred to Philadelphia where life was very pleasant and the climate very much better than that which the family found in Chicago by the grey lake.

From Philadelphia the Pollards were transferred to California. Santa Monica, by the sea, was the place chosen for home.

David and Marion entered school at The Franklin School, Montana Avenue at 24th Street.

During the years at Franklin School, Marion won prizes for flower arrangements, a talent that showed very early and a talent which developed with the years. Marion also excelled in writing poetry, some of which was published in a Poetry Journal for Children edited by Nina Willis Walters. Marion also showed marked talent in music.

On February 28, 1943, Marion was confirmed at the Christ Episcopal Church, Dallas, Texas, by Bishop Harry J. Moore, with Rector Charles L. Street present while visiting there.

While a student at Lincoln Junior High School in Santa Monica, California, Marion won a book, Gulliver's Travels, for outstanding work in English, "Why I Read." She also took the lead in a play that year.

During World War II, Marion, graduated from Sunset High School, Dallas,

Texas, where the family had gone temporarily.

The following year Marion attended Southern Methodist University and was affiliated with Chi Omega Sorority, Iota Chapter.

It was a happy time for Marion at S.M.U. for she met the debonair Dennis Brandt Pickens, Jr., only son of Dennis and Clara Beutel Pickens. She was pinned March 31, 1946.

Marion chose to marry instead of graduating at S.M.U. Dennis graduated in January, 1947, and the couple was married at Ross Avenue First Methodist Church of Dallas, with Rev. Robert Goodrich, Jr. officiating on January 7, 1948 at 8 p.m.

The Pollards introduced Marion to society at The Jonathan Club in Santa Monica, California. One Hundred Fifty invitations were issued. There had been two bereavements in the Pollard family, so Marion did not make her debut with the group in Los Angeles.

After marriage, Dennis and Marion Pollard Pickens moved to Santa Monica. Dennis became associated with The Utilities Supply Company of Los Angeles.

The Pickens lived first on 11th Street but when their expected baby was soon to arrive, they moved to 377 Grenola Street, Pacific Palisades, California, a home built for Congressman Lee Ford's daughter, who sold it to the Pickens.

Their issue:

1. Dennis Bruce Pickens
2. Alison Louise Pickens

Dennis Bruce Pickens arrived October 20, 1950, at the Santa Monica Hospital, Santa Monica, California. Dr. John Duge attended at the birth. (Record to follow.)

Two years later Alison Louise Pickens came to grace the home which had scarcely been warmed with the friends of the Pickens.

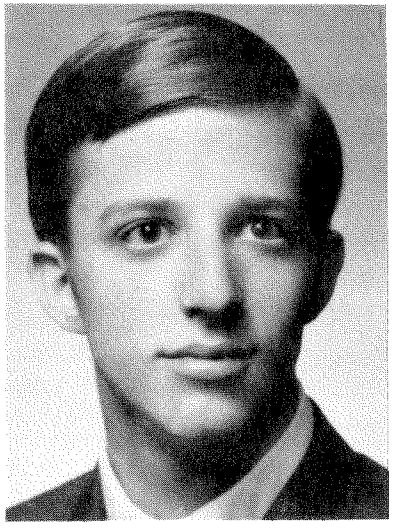
At the time Bruce was old enough to enter school, the Pickens moved to 1827 Wilson Avenue, Arcadia, California.

The year before the Pickens moved from Santa Monica, Marion Pollard Pickens had served as vice president of the Santa Monica Bay Junior Women's Club.

After moving to Arcadia, she took an office as president of the Chi Omega Alumnae and was active in Parents and Teachers' Organization of Highland Oaks Elementary School on Virginia Road and Santa Anita Drive. Marion wrote the Weekly Letter for the Good Shepherd Methodist Church with which church the family had affiliated. She was honored with a P.T.A. Life Membership by the Highland Oaks School after serving them as President of the P.T.A. In October, 1961, Marion Pollard Pickens was elected President of The Ebell Juniors of Los Angeles. The same year she was vice president of the Arcadia Garden Club. She was invited to join the Assistance League of Pasadena and was active. She later joined the Arcadia Assistance League. She served on the Board of the Charity League of Pasadena. She became president of Foothills Junior High School P.T.A. and served on the Council. She was very active in civic things in Arcadia. Later when her daughter Alison Louise entered the University of Southern California, Marion took an office with Pi Beta Phi Mothers. She gave of her time to the Cancer Drives and to the Heart Fund Drives and weekly served at the Methodist Hospital of Arcadia. She was also

chairman for Beautification of Arcadia.

HOME OF DENNIS PICKENS
AND MARION POLLARD PICKENS



DENNIS B. PICKENS, JR., and
wife MARION LOUISE POLLARD

DENNIS BRUCE PICKENS
(Issue of Marion Louise Pollard & Dennis Pickens, Jr.)

Dennis Bruce Pickens was born on October 20, 1950 at 9:44 a.m., at the Santa Monica Hospital, Santa Monica, California, with Dr. John Duge attend-

ing. He was christened in Dallas, Texas, by Dr. Robert Goodrich, Jr. who had married his parents.

The Pickens family moved to Pacific Palisades, California.

Because of the wind and dampness, the family moved to Arcadia.

Bruce entered the Highland Oaks Elementary School on Virginia Avenue and from there he went to Foothill Junior High School and on to Arcadia High School where he graduated in 1968.

Bruce became an Eagle Scout and while in Foothill High School excelled in some forms of gymnastic work.

He entered San Diego State College at San Diego, California, where he majored in Speech. He graduated in June, 1972, after which he is furthering his education in the field of law, at San Fernando School of Law.

Bruce is a Letterman in his particular gymnastic work (on rings and bars). He is also an archer.

One would describe Bruce as a quiet, reserved and immaculately neat young man with a flair for clothes.

He spent a summer in Tahiti with a college group and became fascinated with the islands. He predicted he would complete his education and return there. Time will tell!

ALISON LOUISE PICKENS
(Second Child of Marion Louise Pollard & Dennis B. Pickens, Jr.)

This young lady is the daughter of Dennis Brandt Pickens, Jr., and Marion Louise Pollard. Alison was born September 30, 1952, at the Santa Monica Hospital, Santa Monica, California, at 12:46 midnight, with Doctor John Duge, M.D., attending. Her birth certificate read: "M. 93466-A, Los Angeles County." She weighed eight pounds.

Alison was christened on Easter Sunday 1961, at Good Shepherd Methodist Church, Arcadia, California, with Rev. Thatcher Jordan, officiating.

The name Alison was given for her Great Grandmother Allie Owens Pollard (Mrs. David Onan Pollard) of Dallas, Texas.

Our Alison resembles the Pickens' line with her light hair of brownish tones and sapphire blue eyes. Her slender hands and feet are also like those found in the Picken's line, but the Howells (on her mother's side) also have very slender hands and feet.

Alison Louise Pickens attended Highland Oaks Elementary School on Virginia Avenue, Arcadia, California. From there she went to Foothill Junior High School and later to Arcadia High School.

Alison enjoyed her high school days especially for she entered into the very spirit of the school. In her Senior year she took one of the leads in the class Musicale.

Upon her graduation, she, her mother and her grandmother toured Europe. The summer before, Alison, her mother and grandmother spent in Hawaii.

December, 1970, Alison made her debut at The Huntington-Sheraton Hotel, Pasadena, California.

At the University of Southern California, Alison matriculated. She had a happy time during Rush Week. She pledged Pi Beta Phi, one of the top sororities, and later was initiated.

During 1971 she was selected as Sweetheart of the Kappa Sigmas, as well as Little Sister of still another fraternity. She is presently a Senior at the University of Southern California, 1973.

DENNIS BRANDT PICKENS, JR.
(Husband of Marion Pollard)
THE PICKENS LINE

Dennis Brandt Pickens, Jr. is the son of Dennis Brandt Pickens, Sr. and Clara Bertha Beutel. Clara was the daughter of Frederick Carl Beutel and Henrietta Fritz. Frederick Carl Beutel, was the son of Phillip Johan Beutel and Anastasia Langle of Germany. Phillip Johan Beutel, was the son of George Johan Beutel, Mayor of Manheim, Germany, and Margarethe Kantz of Germany. Henrietta Fritz, named earlier, was the daughter of John Fritz and Anastasia Brittain of Germany.

Frederick Carl Beutel lived first in Chicago, Illinois, and then migrated to Texas.

Clara Beutel Pickens is a grandmother of whom to be proud. Not only is she a beautiful woman with dark brown hair and deeply set brown eyes, she is a beautiful Christian. Always she is found well-groomed. She is a person of very even disposition. Her interests in life have always centered around her home, her family and her church.

Though her own family was formerly Lutherans before coming to America from Germany, they joined the Methodist Church in Texas where they migrated from Chicago, Illinois.

Dennis Pickens, Sr., has attended Ross Avenue Baptist Church for his entire married life.

THE BRANDT LINE
(A Part of the Pickens Line)

Annie Phillipena Brandt, born February 22, 1866, in Chappell Hill, Texas, married April 29, 1885. She died May 31, 1943, at the hospital in Houston, Texas.

Her husband was James Addison Pickens.

Annie's father was Henry Christian Brandt, born 1838, Schaumburg-Lippe, Germany. He married January 24, 1860, at Chappell Hill, Texas. He was buried at Freeman, Texas. He went to Texas when he was 18 years of age. He was a cabinet-maker by trade, later becoming a contracter/builder, and in his later life took up farming in Washington County, Texas.

His wife, Laura Jane Burns, was born July 6, 1834, at Camden, Mississippi. She died May 8, 1871, in Fayette County, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Frederick Dennis
2. Annie Phillipena

Annie P. Pickens was the daughter of Henry Christian Brandt and Laura Jane Burns Brandt.

Henry C. Brandt was the son of Frederick Brandt, born November 30, 1807 in Germany. He married December 30, 1830 to Phillipena Schwerdferger the first time and after her death he married Henrietta Meuhlmeister born in September. Henrietta died April 21, 1838. She died one month after the birth of Henry Christian Brandt.

Laura Jane Burns, the mother of Annie P. Pickens, was the daughter of Dennis Burns and wife Frances Elizabeth Mundell. Dennis Burns was a Royal Arch Mason No. 74, Chappell Hill, Texas.

Lettie Jane Zellner, wife of John Finis Pickens, was the daughter of Arnold Zellner. He married first to Miss Barnett and the second time to Miss Johnson. Arnold Zellner was the son of George Peter Zellner and wife Mary Capehart of Georgia. George P. Zellner was the son of Andrew Zellner of Arnold of Arnold of Arnold. of George Zellner. The Zellners were very musical people. They were composers of high rank and the musical exercise books used for so many years by top musicians were written by the Zellners.

3. Henry Francis
4. Edward August

Henry Christian Brandt was married a second time to Emma Callie McGill, born February 14, 1872. She died.

Their issue:

1. Jessie Callie

Henry Christian Brandt married a third time, Nancy Elizabeth Wilson, born December 3, 1875.

Professor Frederick Brandt, father of Henry Christian, was born November 30, 1807, in Germany. He married Henrietta Muhlmeister, December 30, 1830. Second marriage was to Phillipena Scherdferger. (See A History of Texas and Texans, 1916, Frank Johnson.)

Henrietta Muhlmeister, Frederick's wife, was born September 12, 1810. She died April 21, 1838, one month after Henry Christian was born.

Dennis Burns was born June 2, 1794, in Camden, South Carolina. He married February 6, 1825, in Claiborne County, Mississippi. He died May 3, 1868, at Oso, Texas, Fayette County. Married three times, the first two having died. His second wife, Frances Elizabeth Mundell, was born November 10, 1801 and died December 6, 1835.

Their issue:

1. Frances
2. Josiah
3. Ellen
4. Laura Jane

Professor Frederick Brandt, born November 30, 1807, in Germany, died in Germany. He married December 30, 1830, to Henrietta Muhlmeister (first wife). She was born September 12, 1810, in Germany and died April 21, 1838, in the Principality of Schaumburg-Lippe, Germany.

Their issue:

1. Bertha Brandt, who came to America and married John O'Brient of Industry, Austin County, Texas. She died in San Francisco, California.
2. Edward Brandt, who came to America and died of yellow fever in Galveston, Texas, 1854. He was not married.
3. Henry Christian Brandt (his mother died the month after his birth and his father married again having seven sons and two daughters whose names are given later, was born March 26, 1838, Principality of Schaumburg-Lippe, Germany. He died January 8, 1925, in Chappell Hill, Texas, at his home and was buried in Brenham, Texas.

Henry Christian Brandt married three times. His first marriage was to Laura Jane Burns, daughter of Dennis Burns and Frances Elizabeth Mundell. (Dennis Burns was born 1794, died 1868. He was a Royal Arch Mason No. 74, Chappell Hill Texas. Frances was born July 26, 1836, in Camden, Mississippi, and died May 8, 1871, in Oso, Texas, Fayette County.)

Their issue:

1. Frederick Dennis Brandt, born March 19, 1861, in Chappell Hill, Texas. Died August 7, 1949, in Sealy, Texas, and was buried in Hempstead, Texas.

Frederick Dennis Brandt married three times. His first to Frances Ogletree Harper, April 29, 1885, (the same day that Annie Brandt married James A. Pickens). Frances was born July 13, 1867, in Hempstead, Texas, and died August 22, 1909, Wallis, Texas. She is buried at Hempstead, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Martha Mattie Brandt (Mrs. William Guyler)
2. Nellie Augusta Brandt (Mrs. John C. Matijka)
3. Wesley Fletcher Harper Brandt, died at 2 years of age.
4. Annie May Brandt (Mrs. Ira L. Glascock)
5. Florence Brandt (Mrs. Hyke Peter Donigan)
6. Henry Christian Brandt, Jr. (married Beatrice Kennery)
7. Frederick Dennis Brandt (married Mary Elizabeth Sanderson)
8. Allen Harvey Brandt (married Alma Elearnora Janosky)

9. Robert Burns Brandt (married Josephine Angell Laird).

Second wife, Etta Carlisle, married April 30, 1913, in Houston, Texas. She died April 28, 1914, in Wallis, Texas, and was buried at Hempstead, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Rosetta Brandt (Etta died when the child was born).

Third wife was Emma Anna Beutel (sister of Clara Beutel, Mrs. Dennis Brandt Pickens). Emma and Frederick Dennis Brandt married October 15, 1919, and lived in Wallis, Texas. They married in Dallas, Texas. She was born December 9, 1885, in Plano, Texas.

Issue of Emma Ann Beutel.

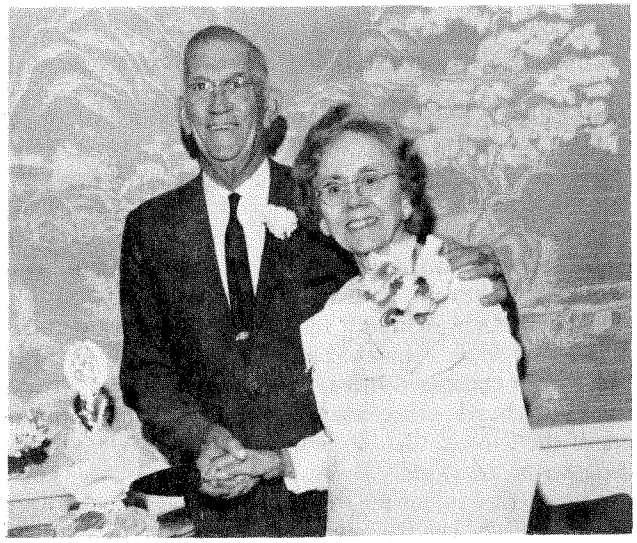
1. Frederick Otto Brandt, born Mary 12, 1922, Wallis, Texas. He married on September 24, 1948, at Houston, Texas to Mary Nell Young, daughter of Floyd Hobart Young and wife Nell Frances Young of Houston, Texas. Mary Nell Young was born on May 29, 1927 at Houston, Texas.
   Their issue:
   1. Marsha Lynn Brandt, born September 8, 1951, Houston.
   2. Frederick David Brandt, born July 21, 1953, Houston.
2. Emma Louise Brandt, born July 18, 1925, Wallis Texas, married June 14, 1947, Wallis, Texas, to Barron Monroe Moody, Jr., son of Barron Moody Sr., and wife Emily Marie Wuerch. They married in the Methodist Church.
   Their issue:
   1. Kathie Louise Moody, born August 25, 1948, Dallas, Texas.
   2. Gary Monroe Moody, born February 22, 1951, Dallas, Texas.
   3. Sherry Jean Moody, born January 25, 1953, Dallas, Texas.

Clara Bertha Beutel, mother of Dennis Brandt Pickens, Jr., is the daughter of Frederick Carl Beutel and Henrietta Fritz Beutel. They were the parents of six children. Issue above.

THE BEUTEL LINE
(Mother of Dennis Brandt Pickens, Jr.)

Issue of Henrietta Fritz Beutel and Frederick Carl Beutel.

1. Mattie Emma Beutel, born April 15, 1880 at Chicago, Illinois. Married Court Overaker, son of Henry Overaker. Court was born on May 26, 1875 at Plano, Texas, died June 20, 1949 at Dallas, Texas. No issue.
2. Frederick Carl Beutel, Jr., born February 27, 1882, Chicago Illinois. He married on September 18, 1913, at Ventura, California to Lydia Corrie Austin, daughter of Thomas Jefferson Austin. Corrie was born September 5, 1860, Suffield, Connecticut, died November 27, 1946 in California. No issue.



DENNIS BRANDT PICKENS and
CLARA BEUTEL PICKENS

3. Olga Henrietta Beutel, born January 10, 1884, Dallas, Texas, married on July 2, 1922 at Wallis, Texas. She married William John Campbell, son of John Campbell, Sr. William John was born June 20, 1884, at Winnipeg, Canada. No issue.
4. Emma Anna Beutel, born December 9, 1885 at Plano, Texas. She married Dennis Brandt (an uncle of Dennis B. Pickens, Sr.) in October 1919 at 3202 Wellborn Street, Dallas, Texas. Dennis was born March 19, 1861 at Chappell Hill, Texas.
5. Wilhelm Frederick Beutel, born November 2, 1887, died March 25, 1892. Lived to be approximately five years of age.
6. Clara Beutel Pickens, born October 9, 1890 at Plano, Texas, Collin County. She married on June 4, 1919 at 3202 Wellborn Street, Dallas, Texas. Reverend S. C. Burgin, Methodist minister officiated. She married Dennis Brandt Pickens, Sr.

DENNIS BRANDT PICKENS

Her son, Dennis Brandt Pickens, is our interest here. He was born October 12, 1892, in Texas. Married in Dallas, Texas, June 4, 1919, to Clara Bertha Beutel, born October 9, 1890. Both living in Dallas, Texas, at this time (1973).

Dennis B. Pickens graduated in 1914 at Agricultural and Mechanical College at College Station, Bryan, Texas. He was a member of Ross Volunteers, and a graduate of Electrical Engineering School.

He attended Ross Avenue Methodist Church for his entire married life, and brought his children up in the church. Each was married in that church and their children have been christened there. As Treasurer, Dennis Pickens served for many years in this church office and his biography is treasured among the valued members of the church. Clara Pickens served as president of one of the largest women classes in the church. Down through the years her family, and her church have come first in her life. She hallowed the name "Home" with her love and talents. Until the last few years they lived at 4115 Newton Avenue, Oaklawn area, but moved to 6419 Glennox Lane, Dallas. Their two daughters, Bernice Christopher and Claire Cunningham live in Dallas at this time, 1973.

I. Bernice Beutel Pickens, born April 22, 1920, Dallas, Texas, with Dr. E. S. Gordon, M.D. attending at birth. Bernice was christened June 6, 1920 by Rev. S.W.C. Burgin, D.D., at First Methodist Church, Dallas. She married July 3, 1942, First Methodist Church, Dallas, by Rev. Angie Smith, officiating at the wedding. She married: Benjamin Graham Christopher, son of Archibald Caldwell Christopher and Kitty Christmas Graham Christopher. Their issue: Benjamin died on April 23, 1972.

a1. Carol Bernice Christopher, born April 1944 in San Diego, Calif., with Dr. Warmer attending. She married Steven Ely. Steven was born on February 16, 1944, Galveston, Texas, son of Morris and Toni Ely. Carol and Steven were married on July 9, 1966, Dallas, Texas.

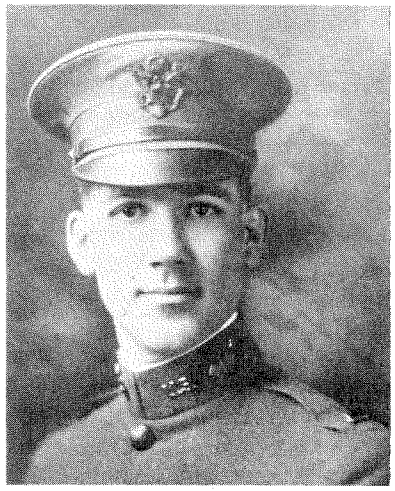
Their issue:

c1. Brent Ely was born Aug. 3, 1970.

a2. Benjamin Brian Christopher, born October 17, 1947, Dallas. Dr. Samuel Alexander, D.D. attending. Brian was christened at The First Methodist Church, July 25, 1948, by Rev. Robert Goodrich, Jr. Brian Christopher married August 7, 1971 in Honolulu, Hawaii to Katherine Wesenberg who was born October 11, 1948. She is the daughter of Charles and Virginia Wesenberg of Portland, Oregon. (No issue)

a3. Mark Goodrich Christopher was born May 5, 1954, Dallas, Texas with Dr. Wilbur Bourland attending. Mark was christened September 26, 1954 by Rev. Robert Goodrich, Jr., The First Methodist Church. He is unmarried this date 1974.

Benjamin Christopher died April 23, 1972 and is buried at Hillcrest Cemetery Dallas. His widow resides in Dallas.



DENNIS BRANDT PICKENS, SR.
father of BERNICE DENNIS, JR. and
CLAIRE PICKENS

ANNIE LAURIE PICKENS
(The fifth child of Mrs. James Addison Pickens)

Born, December 21, 1894, Chappell Hill, Texas, married September 10, 1919 at Wallis, Texas to John Frederick Mott, Jr., of Peking, Illinois. He was born June 19, 1894.

This was a war-time marriage that ended January 1921 at Bellville, Texas.

Annie Laurie was married the second time on August 4, 1934, at Houston, Texas to Clay Orrison. She was married by Dr. Harry G. Knowles, D.D. First Christian Church. Clay Orrison passed away.

Issue of Annie Laurie and John Frederick Mott:

1. Annie Laurie Mott, born June 24, 1920, Wallis, Texas. (Dr. Walter Brown, M.D. attending). Laurie married September 14, 1940, at Houston Texas by Dr. Harry G. Knowles. She married Mace Tungate, Jr., son of Fannye Stewart Tungate. He was born December 17, 1916, at Hearne, Texas.

CLIFFORD BURNS PICKENS

Clifford Burns Pickens, sixth child of Annie Phillipena Brandt and James Addison Pickens: Clifford was born December 14, 1889, Wallis, Texas. He married September 8, 1923 in Kenwood, Louisiana to Neva Lorraine Smith. They have one daughter, Myrtice Ann Pickens, who married Jesse Yank Jones son of Yank Jones and Martha Ollie Reeves Jones. Myrtice was born 1924. Married April 14, 1945. They have three children: Pat, Judy and Mike. Clifford Burns Pickens lives in San Francisco, California.

DENNIS BRANDT PICKENS, SR.

Dennis Brandt Pickens, Sr., and wife Clara Bertha Beutal Pickens. Their issue:

III. The third child: Claire Annette Pickens,
Born: December 10, 1928, Dallas, Texas with Dr. E. Gordon, M.D., attending at birth, (Balor Hospital.) Claire was christened May 12, 1929 at The First Methodist Church in Dallas, Texas with Reverend Carl C. Gregory officiating.

Claire graduated from Southern Methodist University 1949 with a Bachelor of Arts Degree. She was affiliated with Chi Omega Sorority, Iota Chapter. She was selected for "Who's Who Among University Students". On July 7, 1950 she married Dale Everett Cunningham. They were married by Bishop W.C. Martin, at the First Methodist Church Chapel. Her husband, Dale Everett Cunningham is the son of Samuel Claude Cunningham and Bernice Delaphine Babbitt Cunningham who married on September 16, 1925 at Dallas, Texas. Dale was born October 2, 1927, Dallas, Texas at Baylor Hospital with Dr. Ray E. Short attending at birth. Dale graduated at Southern Methodist University in 1951, Bachelor of Science Degree, M.E. Degree. Alpha Tau Omego Fraternity. He was in the United States Army Ordinance Department, Asiatic-Phillipine Campaign.

His father, Samuel Claude Cunningham was born September 8, 1901 in Waxahachie, Texas, son of Samuel Cunningham and Sally McAllister Cunningham. This Samuel died 1901 and his wife Sally died June 1954, Fort Worth, Texas. Samuel Claude Cunningham (mentioned first) married Bernice Delaphine Babbitt who was born October 31, 1902, Brady Center, Michigan. She was the daughter of Ray Truman Babbitt who was born April 15, 1881 and died July 4, 1954 at Fort Worth, Texas. Ray Truman Babbitt was married to Lillie Jane Truman, born October 16, 1882, Oakley, Michigan.

Bernice D. Babbitt lived in Owosso, Michigan, and later at Petosky, Michigan. Bernice is an artist at flower arranging and is employed by Dallas' leading florist.

Dale and Claire Cunningham are members of the Beau Nash Club (a social dance club). They are also members of Yosemite Lake Garden Club, and Chi Omega Nite Club, and American Society of Mechanical Engineers, North Texas Region.

Their issue:

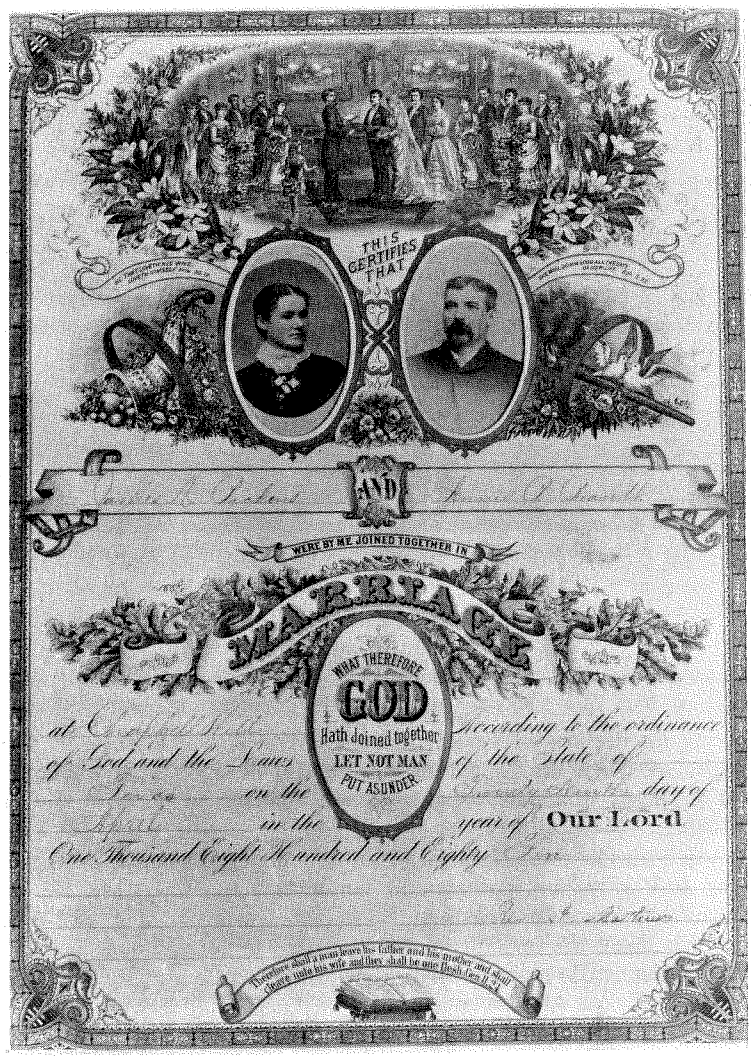
1. Cheri Lynn Cunningham, born June 16, 1956. Dr. Robert Reynolds attending at birth. Cheri was christened December 16, 1956 at First Methodist Church by Rev. Robert Goodrich, Jr., Dallas, Texas.
2. Jill Cunningham, born March 18, 1959 with Dr. Robert Reynolds, M.D. attending at birth. Jill was christened November 15, 1959 at First Methodist Church, Dallas, Texas.
3. Kim Mylene, born April 16, 1961, Dallas, Texas with Dr. Stewart Fish, M.D. attending at her birth, Baylor Hospital.

The above family lives on Blue Canyon Road, Dallas, Texas.

JAMES ADDISON PICKENS

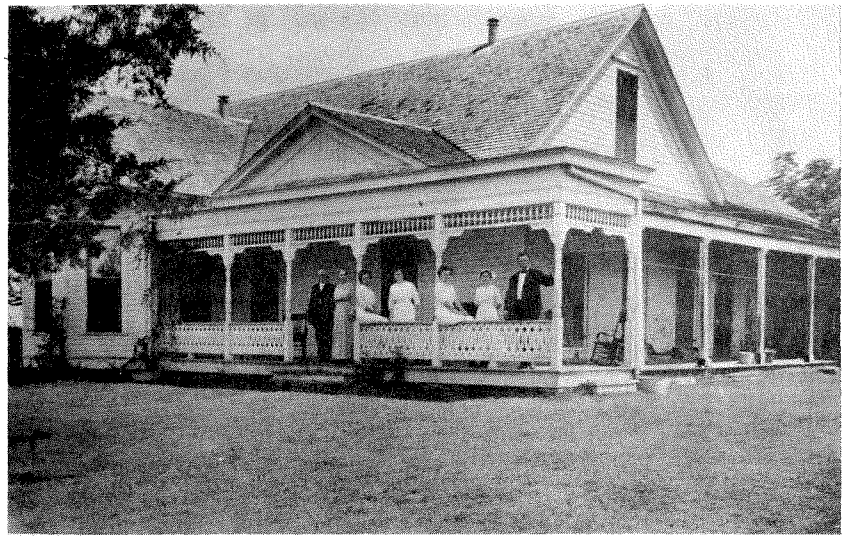
James Addison Pickens, born November 26, 1853, died March 10, 1935 in Texas. He married in Texas, to Annie Phillipena Brandt, daughter of Henry Christian Brandt and Laura Jane Burns of Dennis Burns of Scotland. Henry Christian Brandt was born 1831 in Germany. Laura Jane Burns was born 1836, in Mississippi, died 1871, Texas. They married January 24, 1860.

Annie Phillipena Brandt was born February 22, 1866, and died May 31, 1943 at Houston, Texas.



Until approximately 1898, James Pickens was a farmer by profession. He with his brother-in-law operated a general merchandise store. Mr. James A. Pickens was strictly a home-body. A fine father. He joined the Methodist Church in Milam County, Texas, but is believed that he formerly belonged to the Cumberland Presbyterian Church of Tennessee before moving to Texas in 1874.

Not only was he a good churchman, but a sincere person. He neither smoked nor drank. He was never known to have gambled. He was overly generous. He was not called a "joiner", but he was a member of the Woodman-of-the-World.



THE BRANDT HOUSE

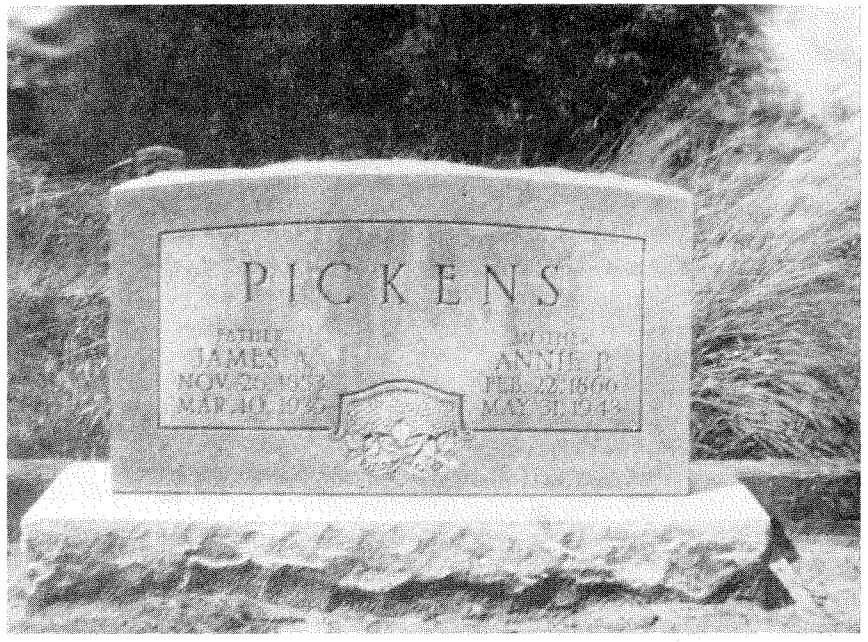
During his lifetime in Texas, he lived several places. First he lived in the Brandt house. Then the Gibson house, he also lived on what was called the Allison property which he bought. (It was sold by members of the family in 1943).

He was a man of some statue, six foot-two inches. His hair was dark brown, his eyes dark grey, and complexion fair with a healthy glow. He wore a moustache which was the style then. He weighted approximately 185 pounds.

His high cheek bones and broad face carried a pleasant smile that brought him many friends. He married Miss Annie Phillipena Brandt, April 29, 1885 in Chappell Hill, Texas, Austin County.

This father of six died on March 10, 1935 in Wallis, Texas.

Annie Phillipena Brandt died May 31, 1943, in Houston, Texas, at the Methodist Hospital. She was buried in Wallis, Texas. She married April 29, 1885 in Chappell Hill, Texas, to James Addison Pickens, son of John Finis Pickens and Lettie Jane Zellner Pickens.



Grave of JAMES ADDISON PICKENS
and ANNIE PHILLIPENA BRANDT PICKENS

ANNIE PHILLIPENA BRANDT
(Mrs. James Addison Pickens)

She was born February 22, 1866 at Chappell Hill, Texas. She died May 31, 1943, Houston, Texas. She graduate from Chappell Hill Female College. She taught music for many years.

She was a civic leader, and organized the Order of the Eastern Star in her city.

She was a beautiful woman, much like a cameo. Her features were dainty. Her brown hair fell in ringlets about her face. She had hazel eyes and very white skin.

Their issue:

1. Henry Addison, born June 25, 1886, Milam Co. Texas, died January 16, 1889 in Texas at 3 years of age.
2. Arthur Finis Pickens, born July 21, 1888, Chappell Hill, Texas, died July 13, 1889.

3. James Rivers Pickens, born December 28, 1889, Chappell Hill, Texas, died October 2, 1898 at 10 years of age.
4. Dennis Brandt Pickens, Dallas, Texas, Glennox Lane, record to show later.
5. Annie Laurie Pickens, lives in Houston, Texas, record to show later.
6. Clifford Burns Pickens, lives in San Francisco, California, record to show later.

ANNIE PHILLIPENA BRANDT
18 years, 8 months

THE PICKENS LINE

To give more about the Pickens' family, the name "Pickens" is said to have come from either the word "Piggin," a nickname for Richard, or to have implied making sharp; to sharpen, as a lance or spear. In Scotland, the name "Picken or Piccen" and in America we find it with the added s.

See Burke's General Armory, Scotland.

The Coat of Arms is azure, six plates argent; a Demi-Lion, Rampant argent.

Translated into non-heraldic terms: A blue azure shield with six plates arranged in 3, 2, 1 beginning at the top. The Demi-Lion Rampant issuing from the wreath of the two Main Colors of Shield, silver and blue.

Metal is always named first in wreath, alternating with the color. The plate or silver rounds denotes Generosity. The Demi-Lion always held a high place in heraldry as the emblem of deathless courage.

Guillien speaking of the Lion says: "It is the likely image of a good soldier, who must be valiant of courage, strong of body, polite in council and a foe to fear." It is the emblem of St. Marks. Colors are personal characteristics granted to the bearer only on merit. Blue signifies Loyalty; Silver, Sincerity and Peace.

ROBERT PIKE PICKENS

Robert Pike Pickens, son of William Pickens, was one of the pioneers of the Pickens family who came to America from Scotland with Irish imigrants, early in the 18th Century. Probably he arrived between 1720 and 1737.

He settled in Frederick County, Maryland, while other members of his family went to Bucks County, Pennsylvania. Evidently they lived rather close together though in different states. John Pickens and Andrew Pickens moved to Augusta County, Virginia, and by 1740 they moved again to the upper part of South Carolina. Robert Pike Pickens remained about eight years in the Waxhaw District near the Catawba River on the line between North Carolina and South Carolina . . . he moved to Abbeville, South Carolina.

Robert Pike Pickens was born 1697 and died 1793, being buried in South Carolina.

His children were Israel, Robert, Annie, David, Andrew Pickens, the line in which we are most interested. His other children were Samuel, Margaret, Elizabeth. (The twins Annie and Robert are named above.)

ANDREW PICKENS

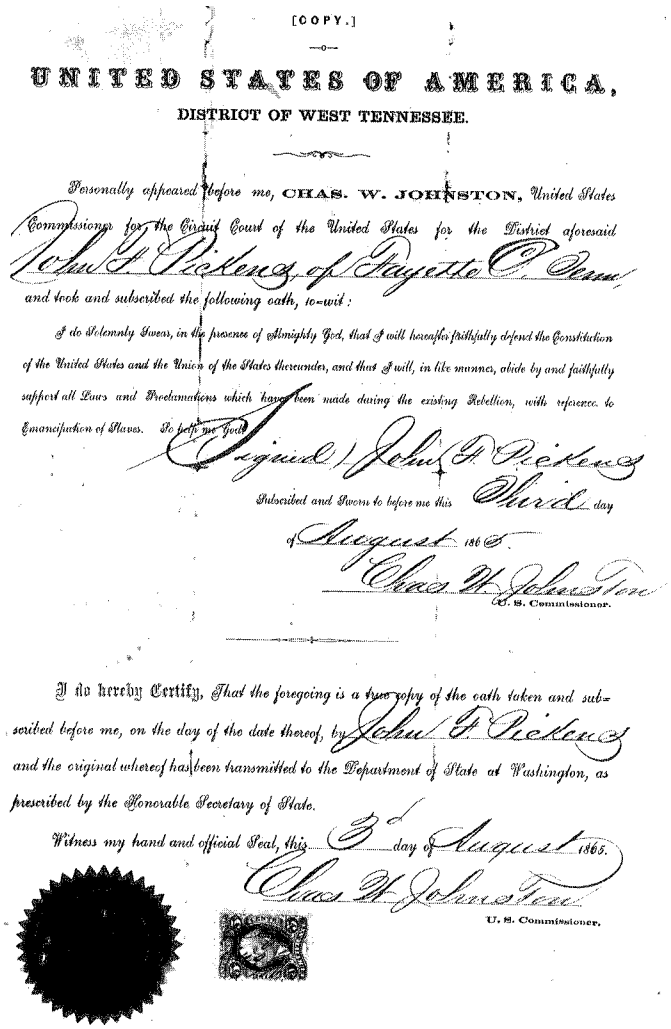
Robert and Miriam's son, Andrew, was born January 6, 1753, and died in 1844 at the home of Reverend Israel Sidney Pickens in Fayette County, Tennessee. He married Margaret Gillespie.

Their issue:

1. Israel Sidney Pickens
2. McGrady Pickens
3. Robert Pickens
4. James H. Pickens (the Colonel).

JAMES H. PICKENS

James H. Pickens (the Colonel) is the line in which we are most interested. He married Jane Daviss, of Tennessee, and the family lived in the County of Giles, Tennessee. (Jane, daughter of Jane and Joseph Daviss.)



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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,

DISTRICT OF WEST TENNESSEE.

Personally appeared before me, CHAS. W. JOHNSTON, United States Commissioner for the Circuit Court of the United States for the District aforesaid John G. Pickens of Fayette Co. Tenn and took and subscribed the following oath, to-wit:

I do Solemnly Sweer, in the presence of Almighty God, that I will hereafter faithfully defend the Constitution of the United States and the Union of the States thereunder, and that I will, in like manner, abide by and faithfully support all Laws and Proclamations which have been made during the existing Rebellion, with reference to Emancipation of Slaves. So help me God.

Signed / John G. Pickens

Subscribed and Sworn to before me this 3rd day of August 1865

Chas W Johnston

U. S. Commissioner.

I do hereby Certify, That the foregoing is a true copy of the oath taken and subscribed before me, on the day of the date thereof, by John G. Pickens and the original whereof has been transmitted to the Department of State at Washington, as prescribed by the Honorable Secretary of State.

Witness my hand and official Seal, this 3d day of August 1865.

Chas W Johnston

U. S. Commissioner.

AMNESTY OATH

JOHN FINIS PICKENS
Son of Colonel James H. Pickens

John Finis Pickens was born in Tennessee in 1821 and moved to Texas. He married in 1852 to Lettie Jane Zellner, daughter of Arnold Zellner of the famous composer-musicians of Germany. Lettie was born March 1, 1831 and died May 1, 1915 at 94 years.

Their issue:

1. James Addison Pickens
2. Lucy Ardener

3. Ada Florence
4. Joel Rivers
5. John Finis, Jr.
6. Martha Alice
7. William Edgar
8. Robert Israel
9. Lula
10. Tennessee

(See 1820, Giles County, Tennessee, Census.)

THE ZELLNER LINEAGE

Record as handed down by J.C. Gladney, 360 Market Street, Stamps, Ark.

"Let me introduce myself: Jane Zellner Gladney, daughter of John William Zellner, Grand-daughter of Reverend Marion Zellner, great grand-daughter of George Peter Zellner of Hanover, Germany and his wife, Mary Capeheart Zellner, Forsythe, Georgia.

The first Zellners came over in Good ship "Phoenix" in 1750 entered the Continental War of 1756, and have been fighting for dear old America, ever since.

We have a goodly number of Revolutionary soldiers, and are tracing soldiers through War of 1812. We have one really, truly, flesh-and-blood hero, Lieutenant Colonel Robert Oakes Ragsdale, son of ELLEN–CHARLOTTE OAKES RAGSDALE, grandson of MARTHA ZELLNER HUGHES, great-grandson of our mutual grandfather ARNOLD ZELLNER, Senior formerly of Forsythe, Georgia. He left Forsythe for Giles County, Tennessee and settled near Pulaski, Tenn. when his first wife died. Married a Mrs. Lucy Elizabeth Johnson, and then a Miss Barnett, Uncle Albert Barnett Zellner's mother.

There was a Zellner at Colorado Springs, Texas which we should trace.

Do you remember my father? Coz. Ada said she did. "He was wounded 6 times in the Civil War ! ! "

Above letter was sent to me to copy excerpt. It was furnished by Mrs. Clay Orrison, (Annie Laurie Pickens) daughter of Coz. Jim to whom the letter was addressed.

Lettie Jane Zellner married into our line of Pickens-Brandt. Lettie Jane Zellner, born on March 1, 1831 married on November 17, 1852. Lettie Jane married John Finis Pickens, son of James H. Pickens. Lettie Jane Zellner Pickens died on May 1, 1915 at the age of 84 years at Minerva, Texas, Milam County.

John Finis Pickens, born on March 16, 1821, presumably in Tennessee. He died on May 26, 1912 at the age of 91 and 2 months. He died in Milam County, Texas and is buried in Minerva, Texas.

John Finis Pickens came to Texas in 1873 settled in Milam County. He lived in Fayette County, District of West Tennessee on August 3, 1865.

WILLIAM RAMSEY POLLARD, D.D.

William Ramsey Pollard, was born February 15, 1903, while his parents were living in Cleburne, Texas, Johnson County. He lost his father May 2, 1915, leaving him to be brought up without a father's love and direction.

His father had been employed in Amarillo before his illness, so the widow, Allie Owens Pollard, moved from Amarillo later to Dallas, Texas, where her son-in-law was called to a position with the Dallas Public Schools (William Albert Pile and wife, Irene Pollard Pile, and their small daughter, Josephine Pile).

Ramsey attended high school in Dallas where he was a popular student heading the Student Government. He became attracted to Della Inez Pickle, a young girl of many talents.

They married June 9, 1923, in Dallas. Della was born May 23, 1902, in Fort Worth, the daughter of Sarah Franklin and I. Sidney Pickle.

After their marriage they moved to Birmingham, Alabama, where their first child Imogene was born April 10, 1924.

Imogene Virginia Pollard married Henry Solomon Bowling of Mobile, Alabama. They moved to Kentucky.

Their issue:

1. Eleanor Arden Bowling
2. Nancy Ann Bowling

Eleanor Arden Bowling, born July 1, 1941, Knoxville, Tennessee, married July 13, 1963, Atlanta, Georgia, to Daniel Postelle Starnes. They were married by Reverend Ramsey Pollard. Nancy Ann Bowling, born January 24, 1948, Mobile, Alabama, married in Atlanta, Georgia, to Donald Horton on August 28, 1971, by Rev. Ramsey Pollard, D.D.

Imogene married a second time to John Robert Cliett. They make their home in Atlanta, Georgia.

The second child of William Ramsey Pollard and Della Pickle Pollard, William Ramsey Pollard, Junior, was born February 26, 1931, in Fort Worth, Texas. He married June 26, 1952, by Reverend R. Pollard in Elizabethtown, Tennessee, to Patricia Lee Price, daughter of Gus Eckles Price. Patricia was born December 20, 1929, at Kingsport, Tennessee.

William Ramsey Pollard, Jr., received his diploma from the Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Kentucky. For some time he served as religious director for a large church in Florida. At one time he assisted the choir of Billy Graham, the great evangelist, 1963, Los Angeles Coliseum. Today he is employed by a firm that publishes "The Resort" magazine.

Ramsey, Jr., is vice president of the company.

The issue of Patricia Lee Price and William Ramsey Pollard, Jr.:

1. Kathy Dell Pollard, born September 19, 1954, at Marysville, Tennessee.
2. Sarah Lee Pollard, born July 12, 1957, at Louisville, Kentucky.
3. Ann Franklin Pollard, born August 28, 1960, at Tampa, Florida.

Imogene, Bob & granddaughter, Nancy.

Eleanor, Danny Starnes & grandson Lee

Son Ramsey Jr. with wife Pat and children Ann, Sarah, and Kathy.

A DYNAMIC LEADER IN RELIGIOUS WORK

The following mentions are the various steps of progress made by William Ramsey Pollard, (son of David Onan Pollard and Allie Owens Pollard.)

1. Pastor of El Bethel church in Tampa, Florida, where he was ordained as a minister in 1926.
2. Pastor of the Handley, Texas, Baptist Church. He attended the Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, while preaching at Handley, Texas.
3. Pastor of Baptist Church in Fort Worth, Texas.
4. Pastor of Broadway Baptist Church for 25 years at Knoxville, Tennessee.
5. Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth, Texas.
6. President of Pastors' Conference, Southern Baptist Convention.
7. President of the Tennessee Baptist Convention.
8. Preached Southern Baptist Convention Sermon at Miami, Florida, 1952.
9. Made major address at Southern Baptist Convention, Houston, Texas.
10. Served the Radio Commission as Chairman for Southern Baptist Convention.
11. Trustee of Carson-Newman College in East Tennessee, also Baptist Hospital. Harrison (Chilowee) Baptist Academy.
12. Evangelist and Summer Assembly Speaker.
13. Held Evangelist Conference throughout the Southern Baptist Convention.
14. Selected for Home Mission Board to conduct the revival at Fairbanks, Alaska, during the Alaskan Campaign. He traveled the world for Christ.
15. Received degree of Doctor of Divinity, May 26, 1950, at Jefferson City, Tennessee. He also received a Doctor of Law degree, Atlanta, Georgia.
16. President of the Southern Baptist Convention.
17. Pastor of Bellvue Baptist Church, Memphis, Tennessee (Retired).

Reverend Pollard owes much of his success to his wife, Della Inez Pickle Pollard, who served as pianiste, and at one time choir-leader, and she, a lovely soprano who gave of her talent unstinchingly, served as a departmental head throughout the years in Sunday School work, a lecturer of Young People's work. The Ramsey Pollards live at 80 Grove Park Road, Memphis, Tennessee. Her daughter, Mrs. Robert Cliett, a coloratura soprano, is also a worker.

FUNERAL OF DAVID ONAN POLLARD

May 3, 1915, Cleburne, Texas, Cleburne Morning News, May 4, 1915. Dies at Mineral Wells, Texas. Interment at Pleasant Point, Texas.

"David Onan Pollard, sick for one year, died of Bright's Disease, at Mineral Wells, Pala Pinto County, Texas, at five o'clock Sunday morning. He was forty-eight years of age, a resident of Cleburne for five years, during which time he was a member of the Sheriff's department. Later was warden of penitentiary at Huntsville, Texas, appointed by Governor Tom Campbell.

"At this point, he joined the Masonic Lodge. The interment was held under the auspices of this organization at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, at 2:30 p.m. Monday. The funeral ceremony was conducted by Reverend Dixon,

pastor of the Baptist Church at Lillian, Texas, nearby. The funeral was largely attended and floral offerings were a great many.

"After leaving Huntsville,, Mr. Pollard went to Amarillo where he was superintendent of the County Farm. He had resided in Johnson County for twenty-four years, prior to taking up his residence elsewhere. He was well known throughout this section and his many friends will regret to learn of his passing. Mr. Pollard had the great capacity for making friends everywhere he went.

"He leaves to mourn his death a wife, Allie Owens Pollard, and four boys, one daughter, Mrs. Irene Pile, wife of the superintendent of schools at San Angelo, Texas.

"The following relatives went from here to Pleasant Point: Will J. Hannah, Tom H. Stewart, E. Frank Metze, Ben Williams and many others. On their return they reported the funeral was largely attended and expressions of universal regret over the death of Mr. Pollard, who passed away in the prime of life."

(Written on the news copy was the following "Pala-Duro No. 155 Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Amarillo, Texas, M. H. Hardin, G. L. Williams, Arthur Osgood.")

IN MEMORY OF BROTHER D. O. POLLARD

"Our ranks have again been reached by the final summons which has called our esteemed and beloved Brother D. O. Pollard to cease his labors here below and pass through the gate that leads to the Great Beyond, and in the loss of this Brother from all those to whom he was bound by the sacred ties of love and fellowship here on Earth, we are mindful of his great worth and usefulness as a worthy son, a devoted and noble husband, a kind, affectionate and loving father, a brother worthy of our highest esteem and trust, a Mason true and faithful to the tenets and principles which govern our Order, one who was always found extending a helping hand to needy and suffering, one who was a good man and a good Mason.

Be it therefore resolved by Amarillo Lodge No. 731 A. F. & A. M. that we extend to the bereaved relatives and hosts of mourning friends of our deceased brother, our heartfelt sympathy in their grief, and commend them to to the care and consolation of Him who ruleth all our destinies and to whose will we must all bow and not murmur, but trust in faith and confidence for He doeth all things well.

The above resolutions were unanimously adopted by Amarillo Lodge No. 731 at the Stated Communication held on May 14, A.D. 1915.

Signed C. M. Tyler, Secretary and A. R. Bumpus, Worshipful Master."

NATHAN PERRY POLLARD (Twin)
(His brother Wylie Perry Pollard)

Nathan Perry Pollard was born September 24, 1869 in Maury County, Tennessee, near the city of Columbia. The area was called Mt. Pleasant. (See Volume 8, page 53, Johnson County, Texas. Louis B. Lee, Clerk; C. M. Woodson, Minister; Jo Clary, Deputy; 1954 copy).

He married January 1, 1892, at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas, to Emma Jane Casstevens, daughter of Thomas Barksdale Casstevens and Martha Ellen Casstevens.

Nathan Perry Pollard, died January 14, 1933, at Fort Worth, Texas, where he had been taken to the hospital to have a chicken bone removed from his throat. Nathan was buried at Pleasant Point Cemetary.

NATHAN PERRY POLLARD & EMMA CASSTEVENS
(He is the twin of Wylie Perry Pollard)

Nathan Perry Pollard was a planter in Lillian, Texas. He, like two of his brothers, Wylie and David Onan Pollard, liked politics. He took an interest in bettering the conditions of his county. Even though he was defeated by a small number of votes, he ran for Sheriff of Johnson County, entering the contest late.

At the time of his passing, he, while eating, had a chicken bone lodged in his throat. He was taken to Fort Worth but the obstruction prevented his breathing correctly. He passed away before the operation was completed.

Nathan Pollard was not an active churchman but like most of the Pollards, an extrovert, he had many friends who knew him to live his religion. He stood for justice and fairness.

His wife, Emma Jane Casstevens Pollard, was born January 1, 1892. She died March 27, 1943. Buried in Texas.

Their issue:

I. Mabel Pollard (no middle name) was born October 20, 1892, at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. She married December 19, 1914, at Fort Worth, Texas, to Alexander Shaw, son of J.A.J. Shaw and Judy Shaw. Mabel Pollard Shaw died April 25, 1970, in Texas.

The following was written by Dr. Ramsey Pollard in his church bulletin on May 1, 1970, in Memphis, Tennessee.

"Last Friday the expected call came–Mable Pollard Shaw had passed away. It was her wish that her 'preacher cousin' conduct the funeral service to be held Sunday Afternoon. Since Dr. Joe Odle was to preach Sunday night, it occurred to me that he might be available for the morning service in Memphis. His daughter, Mrs. Roland Maddox, contacted him and he accepted.

"Della and I left about six and spent the night in Little Rock. Then, on to Fort Worth in a downpour of rain, tornado warnings and exceedingly high winds. We saw evidences of the power of nature's forces. Houses and signs were down, trees uprooted and havoc all along the way. Sheet lightning and roaring thunder furnished an unwelcome accompaniment all through the day. We could hardly see the outline of the Dallas skyline as we passed through the city.

"We spent the night with the Henry Cooks, our friends for some 38 years. Sunday morning we drove to Lillian, Texas, and worshiped in the building so intimately associated with our family. Fifty-six years ago next week I sat in that same building and heard a Baptist preacher conduct my father's funeral. I could remember exactly where I sat, in Uncle William's lap. The pews are still being used.

"Mable's funeral was at two. The pastor presided, read the scripture and prayed. The auditorium was overflowing with loved ones and friends who came to pay tribute to one of the sweetest and dearest women we have ever known. Her seven grandsons served as pallbearers. They were fine looking young men, not a "hippie" in the crowd. Her good husband, three sons and a brother survive. She was buried in the Pleasant Point Cemetery where many of our ancestors await the Lord's coming. Of course, after the benediction, we had the privilege of meeting many of the kin, along with scores of old friends."

Their issue:

1. (Twins) Harrell Perry Shaw, born January 5, 1916, Lillian, Texas, Johnson County. He married February 11, 1942, at Fort Worth, Texas, to Mary Jane Collier, daughter of H.W. and Mattie Collier.
   Their issue:
   a1. Harrell and Mary Jane C. Shaw: Michael Alfred Shaw, born December 14, 1945, at Fort Worth, Texas, and Jerry Ward Shaw,

born November 15, 1954, at Fort Worth, Texas.

2. Harrell Perry Shaw's twin: Carrell Perry Shaw, born January 5, 1916, Lillian, Texas, Johnson County. He married January 11, 1947, at Alvarado, Texas, to Janelle Brown, daughter of Al and Kate Brown. Jannell Brown was born May 16, 1926, at Lillian, Texas, Johnson County.

   Their issue:

   a1. Daniel Riley Shaw, born October 24, 1948, Fort Worth, Texas,
   a2. and James Ray Shaw, born December 6, 1951.

The twins, Harrell and Carrell Shaw, graduated from Polytechnic High School, Fort Worth, and attended State College of Agriculture, Arlington, Texas.

3. Alex Eugene Shaw, born August 24, 1917, at Lillian, Johnson County, Texas. He married January 10, 1942, at Atlanta, Georgia, to Helen Elizabeth Braswell, daughter of the lage George Braswell and Annie Harris Braswell. Helen was born December 15, 1917, at Roberta, Georgia.

   Their issue:

   a1. Alex Eugene Shaw, Jr., born December 27, 1943, at Dayton, Ohio.
   a2. Robert Harris Shaw, born May 18, 1946, Dayton, Ohio.
   a 3. Stephen Edward Shaw, born December 1, 1947, Houston, Texas. Address: 5031 Marietta Lane, Houston 21, Texas (at time of record).

Note: Eugene ("Gene") Shaw made a fine record at Georgia Tech in the athletic realm. He made front page as "Cowboy" Shaw for his winnings. Gene wore Texas boots often and received the appellation "Cowboy" in that way. (Quarterback).

II. The second issue of Emma Jane Casstevens and Nathan Perry Pollard was Thurman Bryce Pollard, born August 28, 1905, Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. He married September 24, 1924, at Alvarado, Texas, to Beulah Lyle of Hart County, Kentucky. She was born March 5, 1905, in Kentucky.

Their issue:

1. Richard Dean Pollard, was born September 5, 1929, at Lillian, Texas. He married December 20, 1953, at Alvarado, Texas, to Marolyn Cleere, daughter of W. P. Cleere.

   Their issue:

   a1. Elizabeth Lee Pollard, born November 15, 1957, Fort Worth, Texas.
   a2. Mary Jane Pollard, born December 15, 1959, Fort Worth, Texas (Address: 3012 Pate Drive, Fort Worth, Texas).

2. Imogene Lyle Pollard, second issue of Bryce and Beulah Lyle Pollard, was born July 6, 1932, Lillian, Johnson County, Texas. She married April 30, 1954, Lillian, Texas, at the Baptist Church with Reverend West officiating. Imogene married Joseph Raymond Bourgeois, son of Antonio Bourgeois (promounced Bush-wah). (There are other Pollard lines with issue of several girls named Imogene and Barbara.)

   Their issue:

   1. Steven Pollard Bourgeois, born July 31, 1955, Fort Worth, Texas.

2. Stanley Perry Bourgeois, born January 22, 1958, Fort Worth, Texas.
3. Susan Joette Bourgeois, born May 2, 1959, Fort Worth, Texas. Address: 4708 Strong Avenue, Fort Worth 5, Texas (at time of record).

WYLIE PERRY POLLARD

Wylie Perry Pollard (twin of Nathan Perry Pollard) was born September 24, 1869, at Mount Pleasant, Maury County, Tennessee, near the town of Columbia. He married May 30, 1885, in Fort Worth, Texas, at the Worth Hotel, to Eva Ellen Stewart, daughter of Abner Stewart and Mary Elizabeth Stewart of Cleburne, Texas. Eva Ellen Stewart, was born September 8, 1876, at Atwood, Carroll County, Tennessee. She died March 23, 1970. Buried in Amarillo, Texas.

WYLIE PERRY POLLARD

EVA STEWART POLLARD

Wylie Perry Pollard died August 12, 1931, Amarillo, Potter County, Texas. He was buried in Amarillo.

Their issue:

I. Willie Afton Pollard (girl), first issue of Wylie Perry and Eva Ellen Pollard, was born September 28, 1896, Johnson County, Texas. She was married May 16, 1907, to William Wyman Purvines, son of Lizzie and Loren Purvines. William Wyman Purvines was born September 20, 1893, at Pleasant Plains, Illinois.

Their issue:

a1. Frances Evelyn Purvines, first issue of the William Wyman Purvines, was born February 19, 1918, at Amarillo, Texas. She was married April 15, 1942 at Panhandle, Texas, to Albert Jackson Burgan, son of Albert and Mary Burgan.

Their issue:

1. Mary Jacqueline Burgan, born July 21, 1944, at Abilene, Texas.

a2. Stewart Onan Purvines, second issue of William Wyman and Willie Pollard Purvines, was born September 12, 1921, Amarillo, Texas. He was married January 25, 1942, at Panhandle, Texas, to Helen Ruth Hollcroft, daughter of J. D. and Edith Hollcroft.

Their issue:

1. William Stewart Purvines, born January 10, 1947, Amarillo, Texas.
2. Sue Ellen Purvines, born December 13, 1948, Amarillo, Texas.

II. Essie Harmon Pollard, second issue of Wylie and Eva Pollard, was born September 13, 1898, at Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas. She was married August 1, 1923, in Amarillo, Potter County, Texas, to James Porter Malone, son of L.F. and Lodena Malone, who was born August 21, 1897, at Hillsboro, Texas.

Their issue:

1. James Pat Malone, was born April 7, 1927, Amarillo, Texas. He was married July 25, 1952, at San Diego, California, to Roberta Trousdale, daughter of Frank and Bernice Trousdale.

Their issue:

a1. Kathleen Ann Malone, born April 21, 1953, at Amarillo, Texas.

Essie and Porter Malone lived at 1626 Ong, Amarillo, when this record was made.

III. Eunice Emma Pollard, third issue of Wylie and Eva Pollard, was born July 30, 1900, Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas. She was married March 29, 1937, at Amarillo, Texas, to Emory Carol Purvines, son of Lizzie and Loren Purvines, who was born July 6, 1903, at Pleasant Plains, Illinois. They had no children. Eunice died July 29, 1955.

IV. Francis Merle Pollard, fourth issue of Wylie and Eva Pollard was born July 10, 1902, in Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas. He is unmarried. He has been in the employ of the Santa Fe Railroad for many years.

VI. James Alfred Pollard, fifth issue of Wylie and Eva Pollard, was born June 7, 1904, in Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas. He was married September 12, 1925, at Hereford, Texas, to Etheline Cantrell, daughter

of J. W. and Anna Mae Cantrell. Etheline was born August 8, 1907, at Bellevue, Texas.

Their issue:

1. Barbara Jane Pollard, born September 22, 1926, in Amarillo. She married November 2, 1944, at Canyon, Texas, to Perry E. Dunlap, Jr.

Their issue:

a1. Danny Pollard Dunlap, born May 27, 1947, Amarillo.
a2. Mark Kemberling Dunlap, born December 13, 1948.

2. Mary Lynn Pollard, second issue of Alfred and Etheline, was born November 28, 1927, in Amarillo. She married May 2, 1947, at Tulia, Texas, to James Lester Oler, Jr.

Their issue:

a1. James Walter, born September 3, 1950.
a2. Karen Lynn Oler, born November 13, 1952, Tulia, Texas.

3. Ann Pollard, was married September 4, 1949, in Amarillo, Texas, to Glenrae Reeves, son of L. H. Reeves.

Their issue:

a1. Frances Ann Reeves, born April 30, 1950, Tulia, Texas.
a2. Donald Reeves

4. James Wylie Pollard, fourth issue of Alfred and Etheline Pollard, was born September 28, 1938, at Amarillo, Texas.
5. Michael Perry Pollard (twin), was born July 28, 1948, Tulia, Texas.
6. Patrick Perry Pollard (twin), was born July 28, 1948, Tulia, Texas.

James Alfred Pollard and his wife, Etheline, lived at Happy, Texas, when this record was made.

VI. Mary Elizabeth Pollard, sixth issue of Wylie and Eva Pollard, was born January 24, 1906, at Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas. She was married December 25, 1929, in Amarillo, Texas, to Roy Brewer (no middle name), son of Wade Taylor Brewer of Oklahoma. Roy was born July 22, 1898, at Holdenville, Oklahoma, in the Indian territory. He served as an official of the Santa Fe Railroad. His address at the time of this record was 2304 Westbrook Street, Fort Worth. He later moved to Oklahoma.

EVA ELLEN STEWART

Wife of Wylie Perry Pollard and mother of the above six children, was the daughter of William Abner Stewart, born December 28, 1853, at Carroll County, Tennessee, near Atwood. He was married December 19, 1875, to Mary Elizabeth Canon, daughter of Socrates Canon and Nancy Hooker Canon. He died May 25, 1937, at Amarillo, Texas, and was buried at Cleburne, Texas.

Issue of William Abner and Nancy Canon Stewart:

1. Eva Ellen Stewart, born September 8, 1876.
2. William Wallace Stewart. born October 25, 1878.

3. Charles Lee Stewart, born February 17, 1881.
4. Anna Belle Stewart, born September 9, 1884.
5. Robert Canon Stewart, born March 6, 1887.
6. Kate Boyd Stewart, born September 5, 1889.

OBITUARY OF WYLIE PERRY POLLARD

(The following remarks are from a news article that appeared in Amarillo, Texas, at the time of Wylie Pollard's passing. The remarks appeared on the front page of the "Amarillo Globe" on August 13, 1931.)

"Wylie Perry Pollard, 62, pioneer Texas peace officer and sheriff of Potter County during the boom days from 1924-1925, died at midnight last night at the Northwest Texas Hospital.

"Mr. Pollard had been in poor health since his retirement from public life, but his condition became more serious about three months ago. Since July he has been under treatment at the hospital. He leaves, besides his widow, Mrs. Eva Stewart Pollard, two sons, Francis (Frank) M. Pollard and Alfred J. Pollard, both of Amarillo. He also leaves four daughters, all married. He is survived by two brothers, Nathan Perry Pollard (twin) and William Sherwood Pollard, both of Lillian, Johnson County, Texas, and a sister, Mrs. Betty Pollard Julius of Mineral Wells, Texas.

Funeral services will be conducted at the family home, 1200 Travis Street, Friday morning at ten a.m. Dr. R. Thomsen, pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church will officiate, assisted by Reverend C. L. Yates of the First Baptist Church. Burial will be in Llano Cemetery. Wylie Pollard was born in Mt. Pleasant, Maury County, Tennessee (near Columbia), September 24, 1869. He moved with his parents to Texas when a young boy. Other than farming in his early youth, Pollard never followed any other vocation than that of peace officer, and according to brother officers, was known in the southwest as one of the most fearless, one of the biggest hearted and most determined officers ever to be entrusted with enforcement work.

He started his official career at Cleburne, Texas, in 1891, when he was guard at the Johnson County Farm under Sheriff Stewart and charge of criminal work of the county until 1900 when he was elected Constable of Johnson County, serving for two years. He was then appointed Superintendent of the Johnson County Farm, which place he occupied two years.

From Cleburne he went to Oklahoma . . . moving to Amarillo in 1906. He served as special officer for the Santa Fe Railroad. He was elected sheriff of Potter County in 1924 and served two terms. Since he retired from office he has spent most of the time trying to regain his health. He had a kidney infection."

(The Amarillo Daily News also carried a front page article, Friday morning, August 14, 1931. "Veteran Panhandle Peace Officer, Sheriff of Potter County, dies at 62 years, after illness of three months." Other information very similar to the above.)

THE OWENS LINES

The Owens family were of Welsh origin, descendents of the ancient King of Wales. The Glendower Owens were persecuted by their enemies and driven from their estates to Mt. Wilde, where they became shepherds; their ancestral home was in Marionetshire, Wales, located in the extreme eastern county, Cardigan Bay, and southwest of the port of Liverpool, near Barmouth and south of it, in the county of Montgomery.

Welsh Quakers led by Rowland Ellis, bought 5,000 acres of land in Pennsylvania in 1682. Another colony in 1686. A number of Owens of these colonists, Thomas, John and William arrived in the Colony of Virginia at the same time.

"There are no details present concerning either Elizabeth or Thomas, but it may be safe to state the life, character and habits of this couple must have been good for the character of their children and families into which they have married is sufficient to indicate their high position in life.

Thomas, John and William (Colony of Virginia) settled in Henrico County, twenty miles below Richmond, Virginia.

Thomas Owens' will of 1744 is present but there is an earlier mention of this trio of Owens by Thomas Brookes in 1694-1695. He mentions Henrico County, Virginia, wife Joan had two sons-in-law, Thomas and William Owens. Thomas married Elizabeth Brookes, and William Owens married another member of the Brookes family, but her first name we do not have in the records. John Owens married Martha Talbot and moved to Georgia (see page 318, Historical Sketches, Owens Family, by Pilcher). Thomas died in Henrico County, Virginia. There is a mention of Elizabeth and son John.

John Owens, son of Thomas and Elizabeth Brookes Owens, married Mildred Grant, daughter of Thomas Grant & Isabella Richardson Grant. John was a vestryman, Antrim Parish, 1751-1761. John Owens, the brother, was a member of old Bruton Church, Williamsburg, Virginia. See T-5, Row 14. We found John Owens in the "1840 Census, Habersham County, Georgia, Volume 14."

JAMES HENRY OWENS, son of John and Martha Owens, was born October 3, 1832, in Habersham County, Georgia. He married Mary Catharine Ramsey, August 11, 1853, in Newton County, Arkansas, where he had migrated from the states of Georgia and Mississippi.

They were the parents of twelve children.

1. John William Owens, 1854-1923, born in Arkansas, died in Texas.
2. Martha Emeline Owens, (called Matt) born 1856, Arkansas, died November, 1858, Texas.
3. & 4. Eugene and Eugenah (twins) born 1858, died a day later, January 30, 1858, Gonzalez County, Texas.
5. Mary Permelia (called "Mollie") born January 4, 1860, Gonzalez, Texas, died April 9, 1935. Mansfield, Texas.
6. James Edwin Owens, 1861-1879.
7. Charles Franklin Owens, 1866-1874.
8. Katy Elizabeth Owens, born April 24, 1869, died February 10, 1950, Cleburne, Texas.

9. Allie Owens, born January 28, 1871, Ellis County, Texas, died November 30, 1959, Dallas, Texas.
10. Bartley Duff Owens, 1873-1891, Texas. Died unmarried.
11. Minnie Gertrude Owens, born April 7, 1876, died April 8, 1959, Cleburne, Texas.
12. Kansas Ella (called "Doll") Owens, born August 12, 1878, Texas. Died January, 1967, Cleburne, Texas.

James Henry Owens migrated from Habersham County, in the northern part of Georgia, to Newton County, Arkansas. By January 1860, he was in Gonzalez, Texas. In 1861, he was in Tarrant County, Texas. Later, Ellis county was cut into two parts making Johnson County, which is where he lived.

James Henry Owens had three brothers; Will, Jesse and Joseph; and two sisters; Martha, who married a Mr. Bailey in Georgia, and Jane, who married a Mr. Hopkins in Georgia. They never migrated to Texas though they visited there several times.

WAR RECORD OF JAMES HENRY OWENS

"The record shows that one James H. Owens, private and first sergeant of Company C, 15th Regiment, Texas Cavalry, Confederate States Army. Enlisted February 25, 1862, at the age of 29 years, at Clarksville, Texas. Union prisoner of war records show that he was captured January 11, 1863, at Arkansas Post, paroled at Camp Douglas, Illinois, April 3, 1863, and delivered at City Point, Virginia, April 10, 1863, for exchange.

The company muster-roll for May and June, 1864, last on file, shows him present. No later record has been found. Signed Frank C. Burnette, Brigadier General, acting Adj. Gen. by H.L.T., September 19, 1939, Washington D.C.

Note: James Henry Owens suffered a severe wound in his shoulder and arm. It was feared for a time that it would be necessary to amputate the arm for gangrene poisoning had set in, but poison was later arrested. As long as Mr. Owens lived, he was troubled with pain in his arm. July, 1870, shows him as a planter in Tarrant County, Texas, age 37. Census, July 17, 1870.

HABERSHAM COUNTY, GEORGIA

(Home of John Owens, father of James Henry Owens)

"The County of Habersham lies North and Northwest of the county of Franklin. It was originally owned by the Cherokee Indians and was surrendered by them to the United States Commissioner in 1818. There was much inducement for the landless South Carolinians and North Carolinians, or Georgia, to settle where he could get 160 acres of land, much of it arable, for $100; so the tide of settlers poured into the country." (Taken from "The Story of Georgia and the Georgia People, 1732-1860, pub. Atlanta, Georgia, 1900, page 333).

"Habersham (County), 15 December 1818 (date formed); Cherokee Land Strip (parent county); Clarkesville, Georgia (county seat."

It was opened up for settlement 1818. It follows, of course, that the parents of James Henry Owens moved into Habersham County after 1818.

Habersham County is in the extreme Northeast corner of Georgia, sandwiched in between Rabun and Stephens Counties on the South Carolina line. Its geographical location is equally as convenient for emigration from the older counties of Georgia, such as Hall, Jackson, Franklin, Elbert, Wilkes Counties, etc., as from the Carolinas.

John Owens was residing in 1827 in Habersham County, Georgia, Captain Tate's District. (See Lot 154 in Section or District Number 10 in Carroll County, Georgia.)

John Owens, the son of James Henry Owens, derived his name from his paternal grandfather.

By searching the 1850 and 1860 census, it may be possible to find the names of men that Jane and Martha (sisters of James) married. Jane married a Hopkins and Martha married a Bailey. They did not migrate to Texas as James Henry Owens eventually did.

CHILDREN OF JAMES HENRY OWENS AND MARY C.R. OWENS

I. John William Owens, born September 15, 1854, Carroll County, Arkansas. He married Tennessee Barnett (her mother was Flora Larkin Newton, Newton County, Missouri, was named for her family) on October 30, 1886, Johnson County, Texas. He died January 21, 1923 in Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas.

Tennessee Barnett Owens was born September 27, 1886 and died 1962 in Cleburne, Texas.

Their first child, Flora Catherine Owens was born May 4, 1889, in Mansfield, Texas. She was married September 9, 1909, to Edward Amiel Goss, son of Lee and Dora Goss. He was born November 16, 1887, near Kerr County, Texas, and died in Bakersfield, California, 1970. Both Flora and Edward Goss are interred in Bakersfield, California. He was employed by the Pacific Telephone Company for 40 years. He was Worthy Patron of O.E.S., No 559, Bakersfield. His wife, Flora, was Conductress of the same lodge. She died in 1953. They had no issue.

Flora Goss gave 3,000 hours as Staff Aide in Red Cross Work at Bakersfield, California. She taught five classes a week in First Aid. She was active as sponsor of Campfire Girls and also of Job's Daughters.

Among her keepsakes was the account of her father's passing. Reverend M. L. McDowell and Reverend R. E. Matlock spoke words of comfort and hope for the bereaved one. "Mr. Owens was a man of noble character and led a devout christian life. He left a widow Tennessee Barnett Owens, two daughters,

Flora and Minnie Lee Owens, and sisters, Mrs. W. J. Hannah, Mrs. L. H. Stewart, both of Cleburne, Texas, Mrs. Neal Little of Rogers, Arkansas, Mrs. B. W. Shaw of Lillian, Texas, Mrs. B. G. Harrison, of Mansfield, Texas, and Mrs. D. O. Pollard, Dallas, Texas.

Pallbearers were Nathan Pollard, C. A. Gill, J. C. Clayton, R. E. Mitchell, Sam Wofford and O. D. Sims. Interment was made in Cleburne.

JOHN OWENS, son of JAMES H. and MARY CATHARINE OWENS

TENNESSEE BARNETT OWENS wife of JOHN OWENS

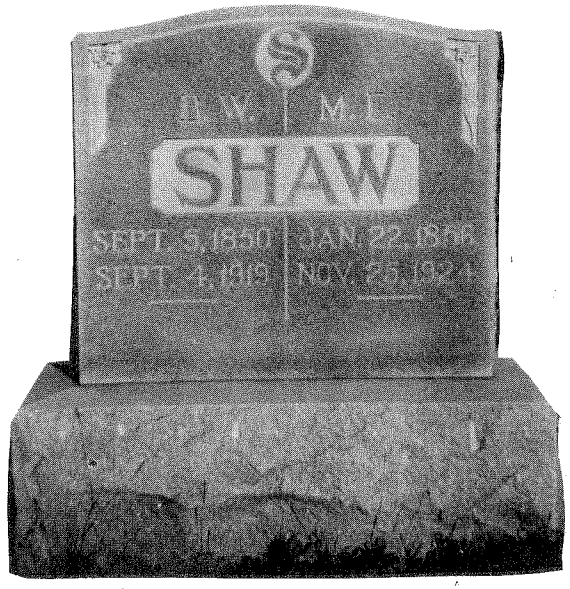
The second child of John William Owens and Tennessee Barnett was Minnie Lee Owens, born October 15, 1891, fifteen miles west of Kerrville, Texas. She graduated from Alexander Sanitarium Training School and located at Abilene, Texas.

Minnie Lee Owens was superintendent of the Cleburne Hospital for seven years. She was County Superintendent for four years for Johnson County, Texas. She is unmarried (1974) and living at 202 South Woods Street, Cleburne, Texas. Her mother lived with her until her passing at 96 years of age in 1962.

II. The second child of James Henry and Mary C. R. Owens was Martha Emeline Owens (called "Matt"), born June 22, 1856, in Newton County, Arkansas, and was married February, 1871, in Johnson County, Texas, to Benjamin Washington Shaw. He was formerly from Kentucky. He died September, 1918, at Lillian, Texas.

There were several children, among them:

1. Florence, who died young;
2. Mercer, who died in infancy;
3. Samuel, who married Ella Denton, she was born February 22, 1882, in Mississippi. She died October 11, 1919, at McKinney, Texas.



Grave of B.W. and M.E. Shaw

"THE OWEN SISTERS" Daughters of James H. Owens

Other children were:

4. Ruth, who died in infancy;
5. Elbert Franklin, born 1899, died May 5, 1934, San Antonio, Texas;
6. Curtis, who died in infancy;
7. Stella Mae, born December 15, 1909, Paula Valley, Garvin County, Oklahoma. She married June 11, 1925, in Mansfield, Texas, to a Mr. Garretson. She married twice, second marriage to a Mr. W. O. McClareen, 6101 Sundown Drive, Fort Worth, Texas.

Issue of Stella Mae and Mr. Garretson.

a1. George Dwight Garretson, born June 11, 1927, Mansfield, Texas, graduated from Texas A & M Junior College.

b2. Mary Louise Garretson, was born January 19, 1929, in Mansfield, Texas. She was married June 29, 1946, in Graham, Texas, to Harrold Glenn Hale.

Three children were born to Mary Louise and Harrold Glenn Hale: Sandra Lee, Carol Ann and Larry Wayne Hale.

8. Another child born to Benjamin Washington and Martha Emeline Owens Shaw was Bertha Mary Shaw, born November 2, 1909, at Byers, Oklahoma. She was married January 19, 1941, at Las Vegas, Nevada, to Donald Sublett, son of J. D. Sublett. Don was born in Franklin, Illinois. There is no issue. Mr. Sublett is associated with the Santa Fe Railroad, Hinkley, California.

III. & IV. The third and fourth children of James Henry and Mary C. R. Owens were twins that died at birth, Eugene and Eugenah.

V. Fifth child was Mary Permelia Owens (called "Mollie"), born January 4, 1886, in Gonzalez County, Texas. She was married October 12, 1879, in Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. She married Bayless Green Harrison, son of Issac and Katherine Laramore Harrison. Green was born October 20, 1851, Three Springs, Kentucky. He died October 8, 1945, at Mansfield, Texas, and was buried at Pleasant Point. Mollie died April 9, 1935, in Mansfield, Johnson County, Texas.

Their issue:

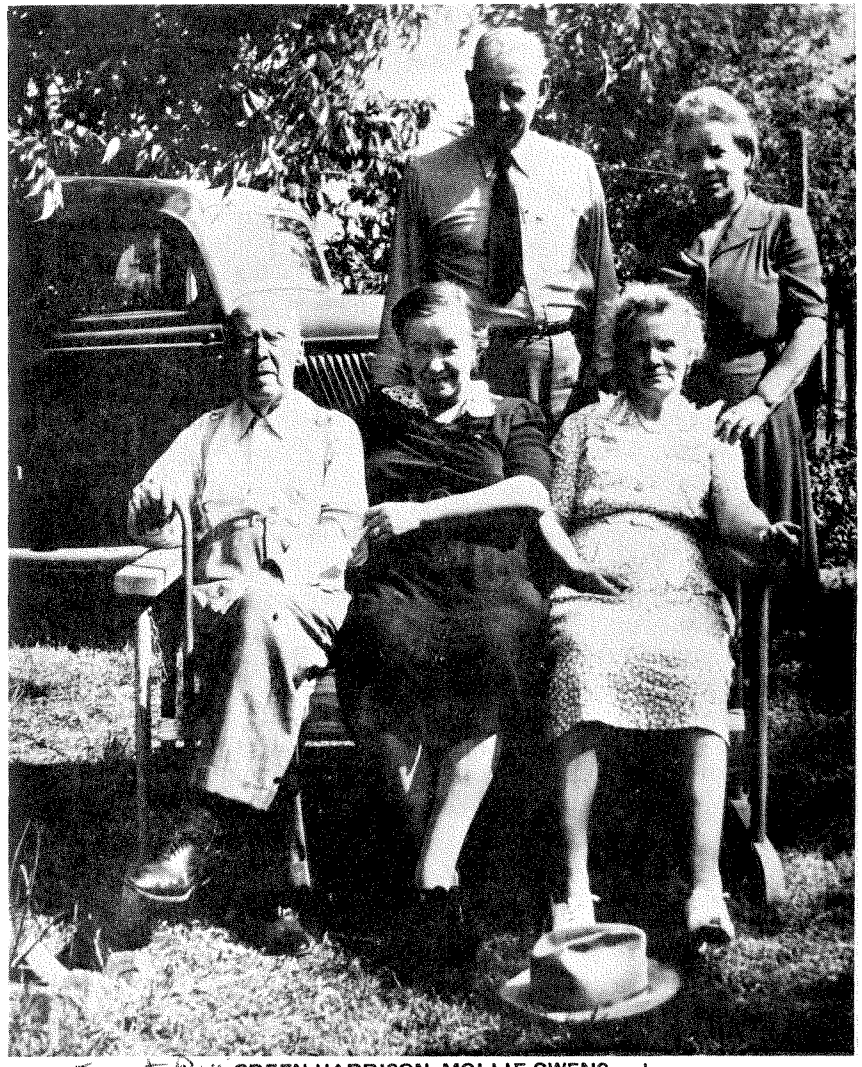
1. Effie Catherine (called "Ruth") was born August 3, 1880, near Mansfield, Texas. She was married April 22, 1900, at West Valley, near Mansfield, to Calvin Atchley Gill, son of William Gill. Calvin was born October 30, 1877, at Alvarado, Texas. Ruth died 1967 and Calvin died April 1968.

Their issue:

a1. Alton Harrison Gill, born April 24, 1911, married in 1925 to Katherine Mims. They were the parents of five children: Robert, Virginia Lea, Lois, William and Paula.

a2. Mary Lee Gill, was born November 1, 1903, Johnson County, Texas. She is unmarried (1973). She, Mary, was a designer for Neiman-Marcus, Dallas, Texas.

3. Edna Maurine Gill, born April 18, 1905, Johnson County, Texas, was married May 29, 1929 to Wesley Peterson. No issue. Mr. Peterson is



Front Row GREEN HARRISON, ~~MOLLIE OWENS~~ and XENA JARRATT — Second Row — Edna Coffman

connected with a Fort Worth, Texas, bank.

4. William Bayless Gill, born April 30, 1909, Johnson County, Texas, was married October 31, 1934, to a Miss Lowys. They have two children.

a1. Don

b2. Jan

5. Howard LaFayette Gill, born March 16, 1912, Johnson County, Texas, was married November 23, 1946, to Louise Cooper of Winters, Texas. He died December 22, 1948, in an automobile accident. His widow remarried and lives in South Texas.

6. Jack Owens Gill, born June 24, 1915, Johnson County, Texas, was married June 24, 1910, in Venus, Texas, to Helen Johnson. They have two children.
   a1. William
   b2. Thomas
7. Xena Ruth Gill, born July 2, 1922, Johnson County, Texas, was married to David Webb George on November 25, 1956, at Fort Worth, Texas. Their issue:
   a1. Mollie Evelyn George, was born November 22, 1956, at Fort Worth, Texas.

II. The second child of B. Green and Mollie Harrison was Martha Edna Harrison, born January 14, 1884, Johnson County, Texas. She was married December 11, 1917, in Lillian, Texas, to Charles Hugh Coffman. He was born in 1873 near Harrison, Arkansas. He died June 17, 1937, at Rio Vista, Texas.

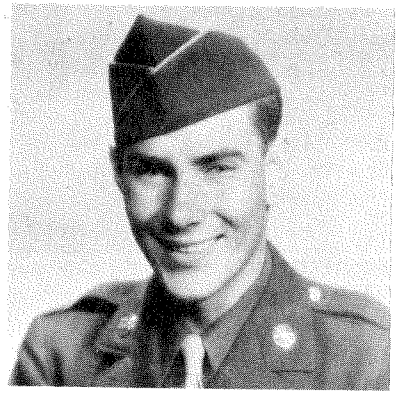
Charles and Martha Coffman had one child:

1. Ned Harrison Coffman, born August 11, 1922, Rio Vista, Texas, He married Fredda Jo Crane. They have two children:
   a1. Pamela Dianne Coffman, born October 28, 1949
   b2. James Ledford Coffman, born June 30, 1951.

III. The third child of B. Green and Mollie Harrison was John Howard Harrison, born February 14, 1887, at Hill County, Texas. He was married July 9, 1913, at Childress, Texas, to Ruth Ford Buster. He died September 23, 1960, at Childress, Texas. She was born April 25, 1893, in Wagner, Oklahoma, she died September 13, 1958.

Their issue:

1. Charles Howard Harrison, born October 16, 1915, Childress, Texas. He married Mrs. Lillian Smith in January, 1961, Childress, Texas.



HOWARD HARRISON'S SON
KILLED IN ACTION

2. Glenn Harrison, born February 9, 1926, Childress, Texas. He died in the service of his country February 20, 1945. Private Glenn Harrison who gave his life for his country was re-buried at Childress on August 4. There were special funeral services held at 4 p.m. on Friday, at the First Presbyterian Church, for one who was killed in action February 20, 1945, during his first combat duty while Americans were assaulting the Siegfried Line in Germany.
   Reverend E. Wilson Cole and Reverend Frank Travers, of Childress and Abilene respectively, conducted the services. World War II Veterans served as pall bearers. His body, returned from Europe, was met by an honor guard of Veterans of Foreign Wars. Military rites were conducted at his grave.

IV. The fourth child of B. Green and Mollie Harrison, Barksdale Green Harrison, was born June 19, 1890, in Johnson County, Texas. He was married February 3, 1928, in Wichita Falls, Texas, to Anne Dickson Carroway, daughter of Judge Joe A. P. Dickson, Seymour, Texas, who married Mrs. Carroway, had one daughter, Caroline Carroway. Mr. Carroway died. Second husband B. G. Harrison died May 23, 1946, and is buried in Seymour, Texas. Mrs. B. G. Harrison lives in Dallas, Texas.

V. The fifth child of B. Green Harrison and wife, Mary Permelia (Mollie) Owens Harrison, was Xena Lula Harrison who was born February 17, 1894, near the town of Mansfield, Texas, in Johnson County. Xena was married to William Henry Jarratt, a widower with one son, Morris Jarratt, of Birmingham, Alabama. Morris Jarratt is now deceased. They were married January 25, 1925, in Tarrant County, Texas. William Henry Jarratt, son of William Scott Jarratt, died February, 1954, in Fort Worth, Texas.

For 21 years Xena Jarratt served the Traveler's Aid. She resigned and was honored by the staff upon her departure to nurse a sick husband. The couple never had children.

VI. The sixth child of James Henry and Mary Catharine Owens was James Edwin Owens, 1861-1879.

VII. The seventh child, Charles Franklin Owens, born 1866, died 1874.

B. GREEN HARRISON

The following was taken from the Mansfield News, Mansfield, Texas, regarding B. G. Harrison, husband of Mary Permelia (Mollie) Owens.

"B. G. Harrison, was born in October, 1851, in Hart County, Kentucky. Mr. Harrison is 93 years of age. Son of Issac B. and Katherine Laramore Harrison of Kentucky, Mr. Harrison came to Texas in 1874 when he was 23 years old. As a boy he was old enough to kill worms infesting the crop of tobacco until he left to come to Texas."

During the War-Between-the-States, a severe battle was fought at Mundfordville, Kentucky, near their home and Mr. Harrison could hear the cannon roar and the pop of the small guns."

"Scarcity of flour during the war was well remembered. He said that they felt proud of getting biscuits on Sunday for breakfast, and one year they had them only on Easter Sunday"

"It was necessary to use a substitute for coffee and it was made of wheat, rye and meal.

"Mr. Harrison recalled the mode of dress for small boys. During the summer it was a full length shirt, a yardwide, striking the heels. This garment was made of home-woven flax and worn with pants. 'Usually I hid when ladies visited us, until they left,' stated Mr. Harrison."

"Another scarcity during the war was matches and often they had none of them. Striking flint on a pocket knife, causing sparks to catch cotton on fire, was their method of making a fire when matches were not available. If they were without flints, they had to walk two miles to borrow a fire."

"Going to mill was a boy's delight and Mr. Harrison said that he often took two bushels of corn in a sack to the mill ten miles from his home."

"During his boyhood, Mr. Harrison had the unusual experience of seeing negroes auctioned at public sale, just as a horse might be sold. He remembered that a stout, healthy colored man would bring around $1,200. His grandfather, who was a strong Southern man, bought a negro woman and a small boy the last year of the war, 1865, and paid $1,000 in gold for them.

"Joining a covered wagon mule team or train in 1874, Mr. Harrison came to Texas to live. There were no roads then, only cow trails, and they passed through Mansfield, Texas, on their way to another county and in November 1874, they landed in Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas."

BARKSDALE GREEN HARRISON

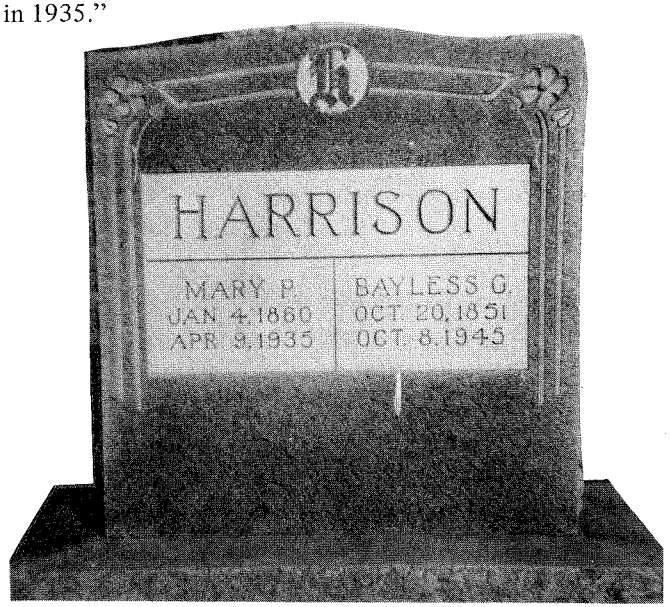
MARY PERMELIA "Mollie" OWENS

"When he first came to Texas, he lived with and worked for T. B. (Doc) Casstevens, a pioneer at Pleasant Point, Texas (brother to the elder John Casstevens, resident of Mansfield before his death). Mr. Harrison has been a lifetime friend with that branch of the Casstevens family and has attended and enjoyed many joint family reunions with them. He recalled that his first job on reaching Texas was to haul snow and fill a large cistern to capacity.

"After a short stay in Pleasant Point, he went to another part of the state for more than a year then returned to Kentucky for a short visit. In September, 1876, he returned to Pleasant Point."

"Three years later he married Mary P. (Mollie) Owens, daughter of James Henry Owens. The Reverend John Collier officiated at the ceremony. His wife, Mollie, was born and reared in the state of Texas. Born in Gonzalez, County."

"After more than 45 years in Johnson County, the Harrisons moved to Mansfield in 1922 and he has been here for 23 years. On their 50th wedding anniversary more than 150 guests helped them celebrate at open house. His wife died in 1935."



Grave of Green and Mollie Harrison

KATY E. OWENS

VIII. The eighth child, Katy Elizabeth Owens, was born April 24, 1869, in Cleburne, Texas. She married William Jasper Hannah, on January 31, 1885, at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. William Hannah died December 14, 1945 and was interred in Cleburne, Texas.

Grave of Wm. Jasper & Katie Elizabeth Hannah

I. Their first child, Maple Omega Hannah, was born October 9, 1886. She married Hugh Forrest Miller in Godley, Texas. Maple died January 25, 1942, in Fort Worth, Texas.

Maple and Hugh Miller had four children:

1. Landon Forrest
2. Grace Jeanette (died in infancy)
3. Robert Glenn
4. Mary Frances (Mrs. A.D. Burrell)

II. The second child of Kate and Will Hannah was Allie Lea Hannah, born December 8, 1888. She was married August, 1909, in Godley, Texas, to Ross Calvin Leach. Allie died August 8, 1913, and is buried at Cleburne, Texas.

Issue of Allie and Ross Calvin Leach.

1. William Russell Leach, deceased 1945.

His Issue:

a1. Dorothy Leach of Glen Rose.

There are two other children whose names this author does not have at hand.

III. The third child of Kate and Will Hannah was Ona Grace Hannah, born May 6, 1896, at Grossbeck, Texas. She was married March 20, 1919, at Cleburne, Texas, to Sebern Oscar Rosser who was born June 10, 1882, Cleburne, Texas and died August 10, 1950, in Cleburne.

Issue of Ona Grace and Sebern Oscar Rosser:

1. William Allen Rosser (called Billie Allen)
2. Gerald MacDowell Rosser (called Jerry), who married Sybil Williams.
3. Bettie Lee Rosser, who married Robert Daniel Lovell, a minister. Robert Daniel Lovell was born at Rio Vista, Texas. He graduated from Texas A & M and served his country 2½ years with the U.S. Army.

NOTE: Mr. S. O. Rosser served the City of Cleburne as Tax Assessor. Mrs. Rosser was married the second time to Mr. William Miller, a leading druggist in the town of Cleburne. Mr. Miller passed away in 1974.

The writer regrets that she did not secure all of the dates for the above before this record went to press.

IX. The ninth child of James Henry and Mary Catherine Owens, was Allie Owens (Mrs. David Onan Pollard). Allie Owens was born January 28, 1871, in Ellis County, Texas, which, when the county was split, became Johnson County where Allie Owens lived.

She was married on Sunday, April 1, 1888, at Lillian, Texas to David Onan Pollard. Following their marriage, the couple attended church and broke the news to friends who, because of the date which was "April Fool's Day," thought they were jesting.

Allie's mother, Mary Catherine Ramsey Owens, had died in 1881 and her father, Mr. James H. Owens reared the family alone. He was a strict religionist and reared his large family to adulthood and all of them are Christians.

Allie's husband, David Onan Pollard, was born November 10, 1866, in Cobb County, Georgia, near the town of Cave Springs. He died at Mineral Wells, Texas, in Pala Pinto County, where he went for his health, a town where mineral waters drew visitors. Mr. Pollard died of Bright's Disease.

The letters that he wrote his children have been kept safely down through the years for they are masterpieces for his children to live by.

X. The tenth child of James Henry and Mary Catherine Owens was Bartley Duff Owens who was born in Texas in 1873 and died unmarried in 1891.

MINNIE GERTRUDE OWENS

XII. The eleventh child of James Henry and Mary Catherine Owens, Minnie Gertrude Owens, (Mrs. Thomas Hardy Stewart), who was born April 7, 1876, at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas. She was married August 9, 1896, to Thomas Hardy Stewart, who was born March 5, 1873, in Humboldt, Tennessee. He died March 5, 1932, at Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas, where Minnie passed away on April 8, 1959.

Their issue:

1. Otis Granville Stewart, was born May 10, 1897, at Mansfield, Texas, died in September of 1973. He was married September 3, 1922, at Midlothian, Texas, to Billie Woodall, who was born March 13, 1901, in Navarra County, Texas.

   Their issue:

   a1. Buren Wayne Stewart, who was born April 8, 1925, at Cleburne, Texas. He was married April 12, 1949, at Cleburne, to Nelda Lee Hand.

   Their issue:

   b1. Robert Lee, born November 24, 1956.
   b2. Thomas Wayne, born September 12, 1960.

2. Clara Catheryn Stewart, born August 4, 1909, at Cleburne, Texas. She was married October 12, 1922, at Cleburne, to Lambart Reid, who was born April 8, 1900, at Godley, Texas. He passed away in 1973.
3. Una Virginia Stewart, was born May 27, 1903, near Cleburne. She was married to Arthur Thomas Burton, Jr., who was born May 24, 1901, at Cleburne (Route Two).
   Their issue:
   a1. Howard Stewart Burton, born February 28, 1924, at Cleburne. He was married May 12, 1943, at Garland, Texas, to Betty McCurry, who was born March 13, 1927.
   Their issue:
   b1. Linda Carroll Burton, who was born March 13, 1945. She was married June 15, 1963, to Roy Gene Wilson, of Garland, Tex.
   b2. Edgar Neal, born June 26, 1927, at Cleburne.
4. Dollie Gertrude Stewart, born January 12, 1906, at Cleburne, Texas, where she died on June 22, 1922.
5. Maple Irene Stewart, was born January 20, 1908, in Cleburne, Texas, where she died and was buried on May 23, 1908.
6. Jim Owens Stewart, born March 4, 1909, at Cleburne, Texas. He married Ruth McGinnis, born April 11, 1912, in Dallas, Texas.
   Their issue:
   a1. Ronald Harrison Stewart, born May 15, 1936, married Joyce Alice Gould, daughter of Captain Robert Gould, retired Marine.
   b2. Jim Owens Stewart, Jr., born April 3, 1939, San Antonio, Texas.
   c3. Mary Stewart, born March 12, 1945, Dallas, Texas. She died, May 10, 1945 and is buried at Laurel Bend, Dallas, Texas.
7. Byron Neal Stewart, born November 20, 1915, at Cleburne, Texas married Elsie Marie Gwaltney. She was born, August 20, 1912, at Cleburne, Texas.
   Their issue:
   a1. Ann Marie Stewart, born May 18, 1945, Fort Worth, Texas.

Byron B. Stewart died August 22, 1973, Cleburne, Texas. He was in the grocery business until 1959. He was very active in Masonry. Past Master of Cleburne No. 315 A.F. & A.M., Past High Priest of Cleburne Chapter No. 100, Royal Arch Masons; Past Illustrious Master of Cleburne Council No. 61. Royal Select Masters & Past Commander No 12. Knights Templar.

Byron Stewart was a 32 degree Scottish Rite Mason, of the Dallas Consistory; a life member of the Knights of Templar Eye Foundation; president of Masonic Temple Corp.

8. Marjorie Neel Stewart, born June 2, 1917, Cleburne, Texas. She married January 3, 1936, Cleburne, Texas to Carman E. McCain. He was born May 4, 1912 at Walnut Springs, Texas.
   Their issue:
   a1. Martha Jean McCain, born, August 24, 1947, at Midland, Texas.
   b2. Carman Ershel McCain, Jr., born June 8, 1959, at Midland, Texas.

KANSAS ELLA OWENS

Kansas Ella Owens (called "Doll") was the twelfth child of James and Mary Catherine Owens. She was born August 12, 1878, at Johnson County, Texas. She was married on May 13, 1907, at Cleburne, to Walter Neal Little, Jr., son of Walter Neal Little. She passed away in January, 1967.

Neal was born July 14, 1877, at Clinton, Kentucky. He died May 3, 1914, in Rogers, Arkansas, where he is buried.

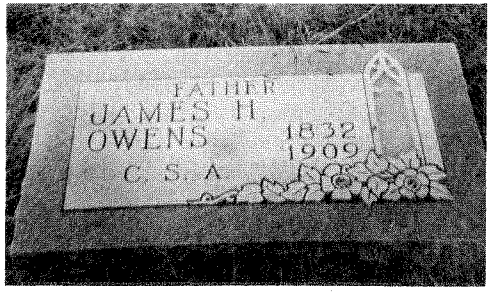
Their issue:

1. Allie Jo Little, born January 26, 1910, in Avoca, Arkansas. She married Houston Walling, son of George Quiman Walling and Sallie Neville Walling. Houston was born March 28, 1908. There were no children. Houston Walling served as Sheriff of Cleburne, Johnson County, Texas, 1947-1951. Allie Jo Little Walling graduated from Denton College for Women and she taught school for several years before her marriage. Houston Walling was in the employ of an airplane corporation in San Diego, California. Later he took a position with the Country Club Golf Course at Fort Stockton, Texas.
2. Catherine Little was born February 20, 1912, at Avoca, Arkansas, She married Ernest Weldon Ball, son of Edgar and Jessie Hart Clements Ball. Weldon was born July 25, 1907.
   Their issue:
   a1. Linda Neal Ball, born June 23, 1938, Rio Vista.
   a2. Weldon Edgar, born April 22, 1940, Rio Vista.
   a3. Joe Richard, born September 6, 1955, at Cleburne, Texas.

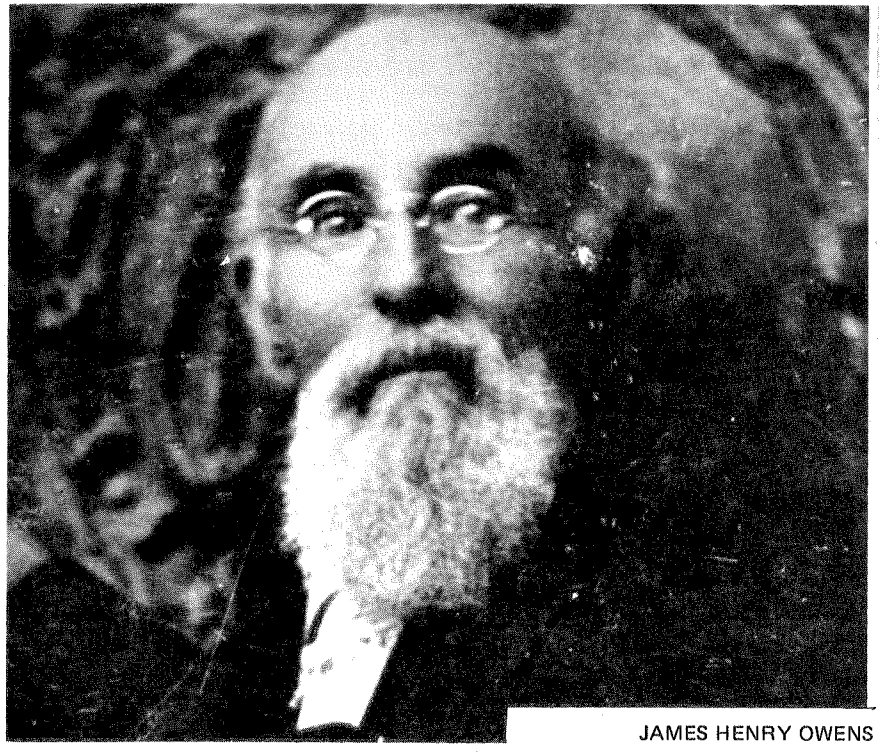
THE OWENS' FAMILY

MARY CATHARINE RAMSEY
(Mrs. James Owens)

MARY CATHERINE OWENS



JAMES HENRY OWENS



JAMES HENRY OWENS

THE OWENS' (FIRST COUSINS)
Top Row: Left to Right
Xena Harrison, Grace Hannah Miller,
Maple Hannah Owens, Edna Harrison,
Irene Pile, Ruth Gill, Flora Owens Goss,
Minnie Lee Owens

SEATED:
Catherine Little Ball, Allie Jo Little Walling,
Clara Stewart Reid, Una Stewart Burton

FIRST COUSINS, OWENS' FAMILY — RAMSEY FAMILY
Left to right: Matt, Shaw, Angeline Anderson, Judge William Ramsey
Sam Ramsey, Hogie Ramsey, Mollie Harrison.
Second Row: Blanche Stinnett, Alice Myers, Lelia House, Frank
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Seated: W. O. (Bud) Cahill
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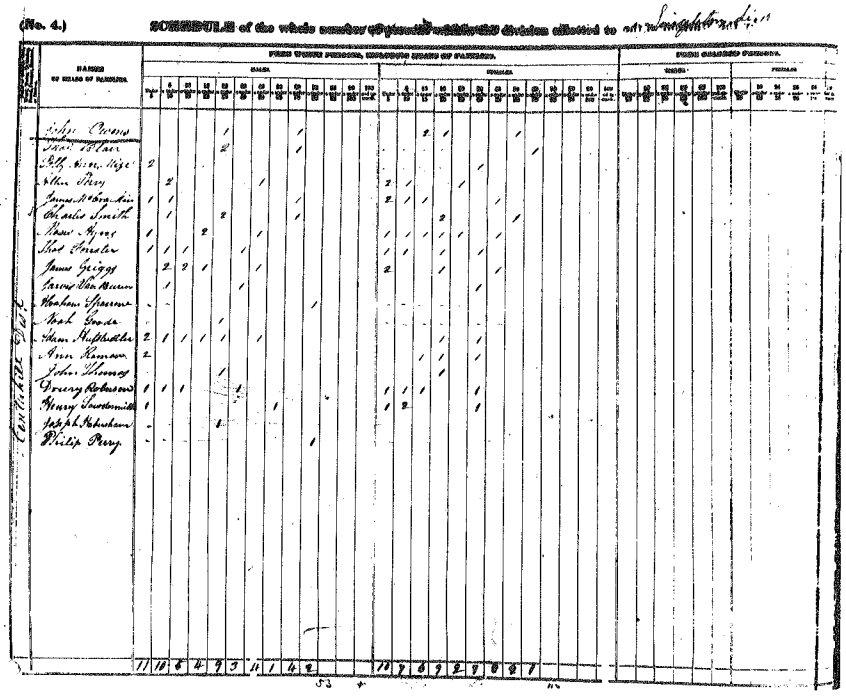
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MARY E. WADE (Called "Polly")
(Mother of Mary Catharine Ramsey Owens)

Mary Emeline Wade (called "Polly") was born July 5, 1811, and was married to William Ramsey. She died December 29, 1893, and is buried at Pleasant Point, Johnson County, Texas, near Cleburne.

ROBERT ALLEN WADE I
(Brother of Seth Wade)

Legend has it that about the time of Queen Elizabeth, there lived in Scotland a family by the name of Allen. Robert was his first name. He had one son, Robert, and a daughter who married a Wade.

Record begins in America in the latter part of the 17th Century with names in Randolph County. The date of our William and Polly Wade was in the 1820's. They were likely married in Henry County, Tennessee, and migrated directly across the line to Kentucky.

We found Wades in Careret County, North Carolina, in the 18th Century. Reverend A. C. Turner (of 2817 North Storey, Irving, Texas,) gives this record: Robert Allen Wade V married Mary Callicott, daughter of Pleasant Calicott, in 1790, in Charlotte County, Virginia. William, James and Beverly Calicott moved from Virginia to Randolph County, North Carolina. There were more Wades listed also in Halifax County, Virginia (Pleasant Wade to be exact).

The story was told by an elderly member of the family that Polly Wade's mother was an Indian Princess. Each generation figured just how much Indian blood he would have.

(Our grandson, David Orrin Pollard, when asked to give his blood for a test before a tonsillectomy, asked of the doctor, "Will you not take my Indian blood?" He was only five years of age at the time.)

WILLIAM RAMSEY

We traced the Ramseys back to Calloway County, Kentucky, where tax records show for 1824. They were also in Livingston County, Kentucky. Originally they were from North Carolina, according to Bible records of J. J. Ramsey.

Mary E. Wade Ramsey and William Ramsey migrated from Kentucky to Newton County, Arkansas. William Ramsey was a member of the Arkansas Legislature of 1854 (proof found in the Sociological Department of the Los Angeles Library). It was the Tenth Assembly and Mr. Ramsey represented Newton County.

William Ramsey was not only a politican but a planter as well. (We found that while living in Calloway County, Kentucky, he was a Sheriff of the county.)

In 1856, William and Mary "Polly" Wade Ramsey moved to Gonzalez County, Texas, where the Ramseys remained until 1861. Their daughter, Mary Catharine Ramsey, was born in Newton County, Arkansas, and married James Henry Owens in Carroll County, Arkansas.

The Ramseys moved on to Tarrant County, Texas, and later to Johnson County, Texas. They were the parents of nine children: J.J.; Emeline (Mrs. Stinnett); Mary Catharine (Mrs. James Henry Owens); William, who was in Forrest's Cavalry and died in 1866; Samuel P., who died at 12 years of age; Martha (Mrs. Bart B. House); Benjamin Franklin; and Kansas (Mrs. Bonaparte Woods). The first child of this family died in infancy.

At one time the Ramsey family was considered a family of some wealth. They were energetic and immaculately neat in their persons.

Of the family there have been many successes: Judge William Ramsey of Dallas, Texas; Sam Ramsey Carruthers, a polo enthusiast and a graduate of Cornell University, who excelled in tennis and football at Roswell Military Academy, New Mexico. He now lives in Yuma, Arizona. The Felix Ramseys lived on Crenshaw Boulevard, Los Angeles, California, at one time and were prominent residents.

(We found the will of Emeline E. Ramsey of Livingston County, Kentucky, "who departed this life on the 28th day of January, 1839, at the house of Zion Bass in the town of Salem, Kentucky, in her last illness as expressed by her about last Christmas, 25th of December, 1838, Miss Winifred Dodd and Mrs. Jane Bass to wit, etc., 31 January 1839. Witnesses present, Winney Dodd and Jane Bass.")

(While examining the 1827 Land Lottery volume, there is a reference to the Wade family residing in Habersham County, Ga. There were also Wades in Hall and Columbia counties. James P. Wade's name was listed just above the name of John Owen. Also, Nathaniel Wade, a Revolutionary soldier, was a resident of Habersham County. All reads interestingly.)

It is very, very significant that the Owens, Ramseys and Wade families resided contemporaneously with each other in Habersham County. But the migration went from Georgia to Kentucky rather than from Kentucky to Georgia.

THE RAMSEY LINE
(A part of the Owens Line)

John J. Ramsey, born 1832, Paducah, Kentucky, married Nannie Clark. Nannie died 1872 and John J. died February 15, 1904.

I. The first child of John J. and Nannie Ramsey was William F. Ramsey, born 1855, and married to Emma Johnson. (Our Ramsey Pollard was named for Judge William Ramsey). The judge died 1922 in Texas.

Issue of William and Emma:

1. Felix Ramsey, born 1877, died 1951, married to Rowena Hill.

Their issue:

1. Samuel
2. Mildred
3. Knox
4. Mary
5. Dorothy

II. The second child of John J. and Nannie was Mollie Ramsey, born 1860, died 1885. She married Henry Friou.

Their issue:

1. Daisy
2. Ida
3. Willie Friou.

III. The third child of John J. and Nannie Ramsey, John Stanhope Ramsey, was born September 4, 1864, and died February 26, 1949. He married Lavada May Watters.

Their issue:

1. John Samuel
2. Richard Henry
3. Fannie May
4. Lillie Inex
5. Thomas Lain
6. Willie Edmund
7. Hugh Clark

THE HOWELL LINE

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Florence Stewart Howell (Mrs. Clarence Owens Pollard)

Florence Stewart Howell was born October 17, 1898, in White Plains, Greene County (northeast of Atlanta), Georgia. Dr. C. C. King was the attending physician.

Percy Vincent Howell, her father, was born January 9, 1871, in White Plains. He died January 1, 1902, at Milledgeville, Georgia, where he had edited a newspaper. A stroke had left him speechless for one year before his passing.

Percy was a graduate of Dawson Institute in White Plains and taught school for several months before going into the field of newspaper work.

He was married to Benita King in Gibson, Glascock County, Georgia, on January 11, 1886, by L. A. Patillo. At the time Percy was editing a paper in Gibson, where he met and married the daughter of James Carswell King, an attorney in Louisville and Swainsboro, Georgia. They were the parents of five children, the first dying in infancy and two girls dying a short time apart, leaving a son Henry Lathrop Howell, and a daughter, Florence Stewart Howell.

Ill health for thirteen years was the misfortune of the mother, resulting from the losses in her family.

Florence left the state of Georgia in 1905 and moved to Columbus, Mississippi, where she later entered Franklin Academy. This building had been the place of worship for the Methodists of the town in 1813. In 1840 it was revamped and used as a school.

Florence entered the second grade with Miss Blannie Shields as teacher. The third grade she was supervised by Miss Callie Lanier who later became Mrs. Vandiver. The fourth grade, Miss Olivia Leigh; the fifth grade, Miss Alice Halbert; the sixth grade, Miss Bloomey Lawley; and the seventh grade, Miss Laura Howard.

The following was taken from the Byron, Georgia, Macon Telegraph on February 2, 1966.

"B. Benita King Howell Waller, an avid political fan known throughout Georgia is dead at the age of ninety-five years.

"She, who attended state political rallies many years, died in Peach County Hospital, Fort Valley, Georgia, after being strickened Tuesday night.

"The wife of a newspaper editor, Percy Howell, she became widely known for her support of Georgia politicians, particularly the late Governor Eugene Talmadge and then his son, Senator Herman Talmadge.

"A familiar figure in gubernatorial and political rallies, she always made her appearance.

"Her last known appearance at a political rally was in the presidential campaign in 1964 when she came to Macon to see President Johnson. 'I haven't decided who I will vote for on November 3rd,' she said as she sat in a chair across from City Hall, 'but I wanted to pay respect because Mr. Johnson is the President."

"At one time she was postmistress of Echeconnee, near Byron, Georgia, and once said that the only Republican presidents who ever received her votes were Herbert Hoover, Calvin Coolidge and Warren G. Harding.

"During her latter years she became a contributor to newspapers giving her reminiscences of old Georgia families and was a frequent visitor to staff members of the papers. She was well versed in Georgia law.

"She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Florence Howell Pollard, of California."

PERCY VINCENT HOWELL
1st Son of
DR. JOHN MC KINNEY HOWELL
and wife EMMA HOWELL

PERCY VINCENT HOWELL

Percy Howell had an unusual talent for music. He played ten musical instruments but refused to take the technique which might have made him a great musician. He played by ear most of the time.

He was the first child of Dr. John McKinney Howell, M.D. and Emma Berrien Heard Howell, the daughter of Edmund and Elizabeth Thompson Heard. Elizabeth was the daughter of William Thompson, of New York, and his wife, Hannah Brooks, daughter of Daniel James and Sarah Berrien Brooks.

Dr. John McKinney Howell, known to his friends as "Mack," was born August 13, 1833, in White Plains, Georgia. He was the son of John Johnson Howell and Elmina McBride Howell. Mack Howell died May 3, 1889, in Americus, Georgia, where he is buried.

The following article was taken from The Christian Index, dated Thursday, June 27, 1889.

"One of our noblest and most lovable Christian men has recently passed from earth, Dr. John McKinney Howell. At the time of his death, May 3, 1889, residing in Friendship, Sumter County, Georgia, but during most of his life, a citizen of Greene and a resident of White Plains. He was born August 13, 1883, being the eldest child of John Johnson Howell and Elmina McBryde. His early religious and educational advantages were good and he grew up to manhood loved and respected by all. In 1856, he graduated from Mercer University, then located at Penfield, Georgia, and two years thereafter from the Medical College in Augusta.

"As might be inferred, Dr. Howell, when first starting out in life, began the practice of medicine but not finding it congenial to his taste, soon gave it up and devoted himself to the labors and the duties of the schoolroom, teaching with distinguished success at different places in Georgia; Magnolia Springs, Franklin, White Plains and finally at Friendship. His real life work however, as an instructor of youth, was done at White Plains, his childhood home. Here for nearly twenty years, he was the honored principal of Dawson Institute, a school which can number among its former principals such noted educators as R. T. Asbury, R. V. Forrester, and V. T. Sanford, from which has gone forth some of the most eminent men of the state. Here, too, it may be added, for more than twice twenty years he lived and labored and sacrificed for the good of others, and so endeared himself to all of every age and class and race, that during long years to come his name will be cherished, and his memory prove a legacy of blessing.

"He was baptised and received into the fellowship of the White Plains Baptist Church, October 16, 1859, and thenceforward, even to the day he was called upward, his life proved the reality of his faith. Though naturally modest and self-distrustful, he soon stood in the front rank as a willing, earnest and wise worker for Christ. In the several positions as teacher and superintendent of the Sunday School, and of clerk and chorister and deacon in the church, he was faithful and efficient. As the leader of music, he was especially and eminently successful. An excellent singer himself, he had in high degree the much rarer gift of being able to control and harmonize the voices of others.

"His punctuality in religious service is worthy of separate notice. His place in the sanctuary was always filled except a providential ordering otherwise and this was very seldom. In the prayer meeting, the Sunday School, the conference, the public congregation, all expected to see his cheerful face; and if perchance, we saw it not, all were ready to inquire, "Where is Dr. Howell today?"

"As his pastor from the first of his Christian life and for nearly thirty years thereafter, I wish to call attention to a marked peculiarity in his sanctuary attendance—he was a splendid listener. All preachers know what a helpful thing it is to have some of these good hearers. Dr. Howell was one of the best!

"He was noted for his liberality. Though not the largest property owner, he was among the largest givers. He evidently thought it a privilege to give to the Lord's cause, not a hardship.

"Sisters, brothers, all you who knew and loved our departed brother, imitate his example in the things which we have enumerated, follow him as

he followed Christ.

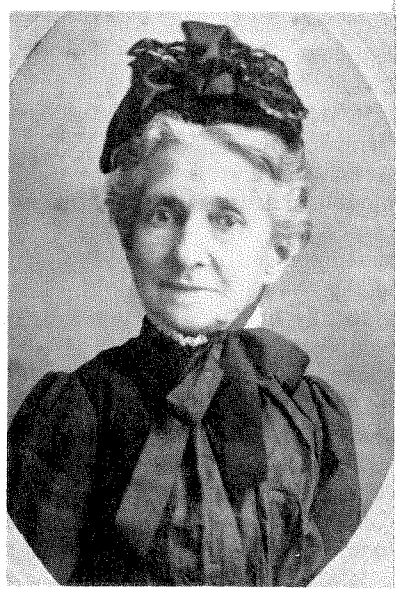
"Dr. Howell was highly favored in his domestic relations. Not long after giving his heart to Jesus, he obtained the heart and hand of Miss Emma Berrien Heard of Augusta, Georgia. They were married December 20, 1859, by Reverend J. E. Ryerson. This union was truly a happy one, and theirs was truly a happy home. Both husband and wife, gentle, refined and affectionate, loving the Saviour and loving each other, loving music and song, and lovely children growing up around them; how could it be otherwise? What a mysterious Providence that the bright light of their joyous home should give place to thick darkness! Thank God the darkness is only on the earth side, there is another side where there is all light and glory.

"Strong faith can make rifts in the darkest cloud through which lights shall come and illumine even the shadow of death."

Dr. John McKinney Howell, M.D., grandfather of Florence Stewart Howell, practiced medicine a short time. He served as medical stewart in the War-Between-the-States, Mells' Regiment, Company C. Georgia Troops.

He was the first honor graduate of Mercer University when it was located in Penfield, Georgia. The town of Penfield is seven miles north of Greensboro, Georgia, where Emma Berrien Heard (his wife) graduated at Masonic Female Institute.

DR. JOHN McKINNEY HOWELL



EMMA H. HOWELL

Dr. John McKinney Howell, M.D., was married to Emma Berrien Heard on December 20, 1859, in Augusta, Georgia, by Reverend J. E. Ryerson, a Baptist minister.

Their issue:

1. PERCY VINCENT HOWELL, was born January 9, 1861, in Georgia, where he died January 1, 1902.
2. JOHN JOHNSON HOWELL, was born April 29, 1863, and died, unmarried, August 11, 1931, in Georgia. He edited "The Cuthbert Leader" in Cuthbert, Georgia.
3. HENRY ALONZO HOWELL, was born February 19, 1866, in Georgia, and died January 30, 1958, at Atlanta. He married Miss Ellen Davidson, daughter of the Lumber King of Nova Scotia.

   Their issue:

   1. Alma Howell, who married Paul Passini of Paris, France, and is now a widow
   2. John Edward Howell, (called Jack) who married Miss Betsey Stone, daughter of Ambassador Stone to Canada. Jack graduated from the University of Toronto, Canada. He was a vestryman at St. John the Divine in New York City.

The following obituary appeared in the paper after Jack's death.

"John E. Howell, an executive of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation who had been active in company affairs in Latin America and Europe for twenty years until he joined the local headquarters about a year ago, died yesterday in the Columbia-Presbyterian Medical Center after a brief illness. Mr. Howell's office was at 67 Broad Street and his home was at 231 West Eleventh Street. His age was 45.

"Mr. Howell was born in Demorest, Georgia, and was graduated in 1927 from the University of Toronto. He then joined the I. T. & T. system as an engineer. He served I. T. & T. in Austria and then in Cuba, after which he was traffic manager and general plant supervisor of the Mexican Telephone and Telegraph Company, vice president and general manager of the Puerto Rico Telephone Company, assistant general manager of the United River Plate Telephone Company of Argentina and vice president and general commercial manager of the International Telephone and Telegraph Corporation, South America.

"Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Elizabeth Louise Howell; his father, Henry, three sons, Spencer, Edward and Peter Howell; and a sister, Mrs. Alma M. Howell."

BERTHA HOWELL

IV. Bertha Howell, born June 29, 1869, Georgia, Married George Arthur Camp. He was born on January 6, 1870, Moreland, Georgia. The couple married at Moreland, Georgia on June 23, 1893.
George Arthur Camp died on October 25, 1918 at Largo, Florida, he was the son of George Edward Camp and wife Martha Crouch Camp.
Their issue:

1. Helen Camp, born September 2, 1895, Moreland, Georgia, married at Atlanta, Georgia on June 6, 1925 to William McAllister Richardson, born July 6, 1894, Mt. Carmel, South Carolina, son of Madison Richardson and his wife, Carrie McAllister Richardson. (Helen was killed on Air France plane returning from Paris with a group of outstanding artists of Atlanta). Helen and William had no children.
2. Edward Howell Camp, born November 20, 1897, Moreland, Georgia, married on September 26, 1931, at Riverside Baptist Church, New York City. Howell married Charlotte Wanda Eckhardt. For many years Howell Camp was associated with Chase National Bank of New York and later in the field of tax and income records. The couple has no children.
3. Rupert Arthur Camp, born on March 21, 1901, died July 6, 1901, Georgia, a twin.
4. Robert Brooks Camp, born March 21, 1901, married at Atlanta, Georgia on February 21, 1932 to Timey Wise. No issue. Robert is a prominent business man of Atlanta, Georgia.

V. ROSE DE COTTES HOWELL, was born November 9, 1872, and died in 1886.

VI. MILDRED EVE HOWELL, was born June 25, 1875, and lived at Cuthbert, Georgia. She died, unmarried, in November, 1957, in Georgia. Deceased.

VII. BROOKS HOWELL, was born May 8, 1878, and died April 5, 1912, unmarried.

VIII. EMMA HOWELL, was born August 21, 1881, and died September, 1881.

IX. EDWARD LATHROP HOWELL, was born November 7, 1884, and died May, 1968, in Cuthbert, Georgia.

Edward Howell married Miss Lillian Schalk, born November 1, 1884, of Bristol, Connecticut. She died in 1924 at the birth of her daughter, Betty. The couple married April 25, 1915, Birmingham, Ala. Lillian died, May 2, 1924, Durham, North Carolina.

Edward Howell was a columnist at the time of his passing. He was a contributor to the Cuthbert Times. In his earlier life, at the age of thirteen, he entered Mercer University. He had a fine talent for music, was organist at the Episcopal Church at Durham, North Carolina, before moving to Cuthbert. He never remarried. He was the golf champion in his area for 1939.

His daughter, Betty Howell, was graduated from Washington Seminary. She was a member of the Girls' Circle of Tallulah Falls and was editor–in–chief of "Missemma." She attended Wesleyan College for two years and later graduated from Agnes Scott College, Atlanta, Georgia, where she majored in Journalism. During this time she was editor–in–chief of the "Emory Wheel", Emory University–where she graduated.

She married Daniel Garfield Traver, son of Mrs. C. E. Traver (of Georgetown, New York,) in Kobe, Japan, while she was serving with the Recreation Department of the American Red Cross. They have no children.

Daniel Traver was associated with the Transportation Corps in Kobe, Japan, serving in the Far East. He was stationed at Columbus, Georgia, at the time he was a Lieutenant. He later was promoted to Lieutenant Colonel and is now retired and living in Greensboro, Georgia.

Music ran through the Howell family. Henry Alonzo Howell furthered his music in Berlin and Vienna, was a pupil of Leschetizky. Edward L. Howell was not only an organist for a church but played for a motion picture house and had his own band. Their mother, Emma Berrien Heard Howell, taught music and presented a musical in her home once a month (a record of these has been included in Georgia Historical Records). Miss Eve Howell played the organ for the Baptist Church of Cuthbert for 25 years and taught music (she owned the "Cuthbert Leader").

JOHN JOHNSON HOWELL, father of Dr. John McKinney Howell, was born December 25, 1810, in White Plains, Georgia. He married Elmina McBride, who was born August 13, 1816, at Perry, Georgia, the daughter of John McBride and Elizabeth Veazey, daughter of Ezekiel Veazey. Elmina died May 22, 1883. (This writer visited White Plains and saw the home of the Howells which was a fine landmark well preserved.)

McKinney Howell, father of John Johnson Howell, was born in 1781, in Halifax County, North Carolina. He died in White Plains in 1852. His wife, Mary "Polly" Johnson, was born in 1783, in Wilkes County, Georgia, and died in White Plains, Georgia.

(The story is told that she rode side-saddle under a tree hanging with scuppernongs. She stood up on her saddle and picked the fruit, taking it home in her frock to make jelly.)

McKinney Howell will dated 2/19/1851, recorded in will book G, in the ordinary's office, Greene county, Ga., and copied by Sidney Howell 9/7/1972, from pages 102 & 103 of said book.

State of Georgia
Greene County

Know all men by these presents, the I, McKinney Howell of the state and county aforesaid, being some what afflicted but of sound mind, knowing that I must die, do make and ordain this to be my last will and testament, here revoking all other wills by me heretofore made- and recommend my soul to god who gave it, and my body to the grave to be buried in a decent christian burial, at the discretion of my executors not doubting but I shall receive the same at the resurection at the last day.

1. My will is that all my just debts first be paid.
2. My will is, that all my estate both real and personal be and in the possession of my wife Mary Howell, while she lives for her own use and benefit.
3. I give my two grandchildren Samuel A. Howell and Mary Jane Howell, they being the son and daughter of my deceased son Mathew C. Howell, to each seven hundred and fifty dollars in money, to each of them one horse, Sarah and Bufala, one cow and calf, one set of furniture worth one hundred and fifty dollars, and to each of them I give a small negro girl- to Samuel A. Howell I give Ariam, and to Mary Jane Howell I give Georgia Ann, to be and remain theirs, and their heirs forever. If they have a child or children, but if they die childless then said negroes shall be the property of the lawful children of my son John J. Howell.
4. At the death of my wife Mary Howell, I give to my son John J. Howell all the remaining part of my estate, both real and personal, for his use and benefit while he lives and at his death to go equally to the lawful children of my said son John J. Howell.

And lastly, I appoint my son John J. Howell and my brother-in-law Samuel Johnson my sole executors, to this my last will and testament. Given under my hand and seal this 19th day of February, 1851.

Witnesses. (Signed) McKinney Howell
Wm. L. Alfriend
Abram R. Howell
Newton Humphrey

Georgia Court of Ordinary, July Term, 1851.
Greene County

Personally appeared in open court, William L. Alfriend, Abram Howell, and Newton Humphrey, the three subscribing witnesses to the within last will and testament of McKinney Howell, and who, upon oath say, that they saw him sign, seal, and heard him declare the same to be his last will and testament, and that they each believed him to be in perfecy sound mind and memory, at the time his signing same, and that they signed their names as witnesses therto in the presence of each other and in the presence of the testator.

Sworn to in open court Wm. L. Alfriend
this 7th day of July, 1851. Abram Howell
W. L. Strain, CLK. Newton Humphrey

Recorded 7th July 1851--WL. Strain-AK.

ELMINA MC BRIDE

MARY "POLLY" JOHNSON

ELIZABETH VEAZEY

MATTHEW HOWELL, father of McKinney Howell, was born in 1747 in Halifax County, North Carolina, and died at Handcock County, Georgia, in 1802. The records of his wife, Ascension Temperance Cavenah, daughter of Charles Cavenah, were burned in Carolina.

Matthew's father, THOMAS HOWELL, JR., was born 1725 at Halifax County, North Carolina, and died in Bertie-Edgecombe. This writer has no dates for him. He married Patience McKinney, daughter of John McKinne (note the spelling changes).

THOMAS HOWELL, SR., was born in 1703, in Bertie-Edgecombe County, North Carolina. His will was proved in 1777 in Book 2, page 65. His wife was mentioned in his will as "my wife Anne," but no last name was given.

MATTHEW HOWELL, father of Thomas, Sr., (see Parish Record) died at Isle of Wight, Virginia, in 1720. His wife, Mary Lane, was the daughter of Joseph Lane, a man of some prominence in the State of Virginia.

Matthew Howell, was the son of THOMAS HOWELL, who came to America on the "Good Ship George" to Virginia in 1635. These Howells above were descendents of Howell the Good, of South Wales, whose fine laws are still on the books today.

Reflecting upon our early Georgia Howells, Matthew and McKinney Howell, their home, a three or four story Colonial home, would be called a mansion today had it not been for the fact that age swayed it and it gave way recently.

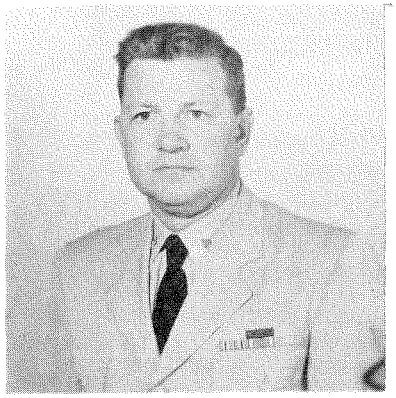
Some of the relatives were so fortunate as to salvage some of the mantles, marbles, glass, doors and door-facings to include in the building of their very own homes. The Howells have a fine sense of pride in their ancestors.

PERCY VINCENT HOWELL

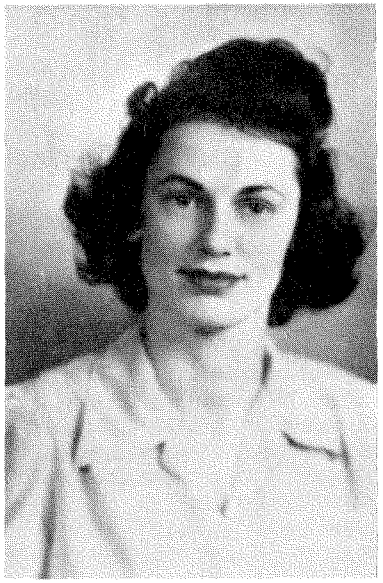
First child of Dr. John McKinney Howell, MD. Married: January 7, Glascock Co. Louisville, Ga. Died: January 1, 1902, Milledgeville, Ga. Married: Benita King.

HENRY LATHROP HOWELL

Henry Lathrop Howell, (brother of Florence Stewart Howell), son of Percy Vincent Howell, was born November 14, 1894, in Augusta, Georgia. He married Elizabeth Bain on July 1, 1919, in White Horse, New Jersey. Elizabeth Bain died May 26, 1920, shortly after the birth of her only child, a daughter, Marjorie Louise Howell. Elizabeth is interred in New Jersey. Henry died November 1943.



ELMER MILLER
husband of MARJORIE HOWELL



MARJORIE LOUISE HOWELL
daughter of HENRY LATHROP HOWELL
and wife ELIZABETH BAIN HOWELL

HENRY LATHROP HOWELL
brother of FLORENCE HOWELL POLLARD

Ex-Newsman E. L. Howell Fatally Injured

CUTHBERT, Ga. — Edward Lathrop Howell, 82, former columnist for the Cuthbert Times was injured fatally early Friday when a stove fell on him at his home here.

From 1943 until 1946, Mr. Howell was editor of the Cuthbert Leader. He later wrote for the Cuthbert Times under the pen name "Ed Gussick."

His early life was spent in White Plains and Hepzibah. He entered Mercer University at 13 years of age and left college at 16 to play baseball as "Kid" Howell.

FOR A NUMBER of years he also played the piano in a dance band and for moving picture theaters.

In 1915 he married Miss Lillian Schalk of Bristol, Conn. She died in 1924.

Mr. Howell was the Cuthbert Golf Club champion in 1939. He was also an honorary member of Rotary and a member of the Kappa Alpha order.

Surviving are his daughter, Mrs. Daniel D. Traver, Ft. Rucker, Ala.; nephews, E. Howell Camp and Robert B. Camp, both of Atlanta, and nieces, Mrs. C. O. Pollard, Arcadia, Calif., and Mrs. Alma L. Howell, Bristol, R. I.

DAUGHTER AND SON of
DR. JOHN McK. HOWELL
and wife EMMA HEARD HOWELL

Miss Howell, 81, Of Cuthbert Dies; Funeral Today

Constitution State News Service

CUTHBERT, Nov. 22 — Funeral services for Miss Mildred Eva Howell, 81, who died unexpectedly Tuesday at her home here, will be held at 10:30 a.m. Friday at the First Baptist Church in Cuthbert.

Burial will be in the White Plains Cemetery Friday afternoon, with Lunsford Mortuary of Cuthbert in charge of arrangements.

Miss Howell, a former newspaper owner and teacher, is survived by two brothers, Henry and Edward L. Howell of Cuthbert, and a sister, Mrs. G. A. Camp of Atlanta.

Miss Howell formerly owned The Cuthbert Leader, a predecessor of The Cuthbert Times. She was a public school teacher for awhile, but spent the greater part of her life as a music teacher. She was organist for the First Baptist Church of Cuthbert for 25 years before retiring several years ago.

Obituaries

MARJORIE LOUISE HOWELL
(Mrs. Elmer Miller)

Marjorie Howell was born May 2, 1920, at Trenton, New Jersey, daughter of Henry Lathrop and Elizabeth Bain Howell.

She graduated as Valedictorian of her high school class at Byron, Georgia. Following this she attended a Normal School where she received her Teacher's Certificate.

She taught for many years in the state of Georgia and then took a position in the Panama Canal Zone for two years. After that she taught in French Morocco for two years at a Naval Base and then returned to teach at Jacksonville, Florida.

During the summers she finished at the University of Georgia, receiving her B. S. degree in 1947. She made her home during vacations with her aunt, Mrs. Bertha Howell Camp, 38 Peachtree Circle, N. E., Atlanta, Georgia.

After teaching twenty years she married Elmer Miller, Chief Petty Officer with the U. S. Navy. They married May 13, 1959, in Kingsland, Georgia.

The couple has no children but Mr. Miller had three daughters by a previous marriage who made their home with Marjorie and Elmer Miller.

The family lived at Browns' Mills, New Jersey, where Elmer became an instructor in the Navy school. Later they moved to Dunellon, Florida, where Marjorie is a supply teacher and Mr. Miller is a certified public accountant.

THE HOWELLS
Leila, Edna, Sidney, Sarah
(The silhouette on the wall is Elizabeth Thompson Heard when she was 16 years old.

THE JOHN HOWELL DESCENDENTS
Edna King Bryington, Edna, Mary Louise King Coleman, Mildred Smith Marden, Claud Grant King, Gladys Marden Traylor

Leila, Frank and their mother.

Top Row: Left – Gladys Tappan, Matthew is her ancestor.
Third on Left of Top Row: Hattie Mardrun Holden, John Howell is her ancestor.

THE BAIN FAMILY

Marjorie's mother was Elizabeth Adams Bain, daughter of John Bain, born June 24, 1855, and his wife, Anna James, of Grovesville, Mercer County, New Jersey. John and Anna were married April 13, 1879. Elizabeth Bain Howell is buried at Grovesville, New Jersey.

John Bain's father was Edward Wallace Bain of Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, where he lived between Sixth and Seventh Streets. He is buried in Philadelphia.

John was a nephew of a colonel in the Civil War.

John and Anna Bain were the parents of five children.

Their issue:

1. Elizabeth Adams Bain
2. Mary Louisa Bain
3. William Edward Bain
4. Frank Bain
5. Edward Herbert Bain.

Mary Louisa married Jack Schroth and it was with this couple that Marjorie lived until the passing of Mary Louisa. Then Edward, her brother, and his wife, Margaret, took Marjorie and kept her until Edward's health failed. Then Marjorie moved to Philadelphia and became a part of the household of Clarence and Florence Howell Pollard (Marjorie's father's sister).

The Pollards moved to Santa Monica, California. Marjorie Howell left in 1933 to go back to her father, Henry Lathrop Howell, in Macon, Georgia. He had been an unfortunate soldier that was gassed and shell-shocked. It took many years for him to release the deleterious gasses and feel equal to taking on the responsibility of his daughter.

At the time of Henry Howell's death, 1943, he had been serving as a clerk in the Greyhouse Bus Station in Macon, Georgia.

FLORENCE STEWART HOWELL

Florence Stewart Howell, born October 17, 1898, was named for Miss Florence Stewart, a sweetheart of her father, Percy Vincent Howell, first son of Emma Berrien Heard Howell and Dr. John McKinney Howell.

Florence was born in Greene County which was formed from Washington County on February 3, 1786. It is located in the Northeast part of Georgia and the county Greene is named for the illustrious Revolutionary General, Nathaniel Greene.

When Percy Vincent Howell died of a stroke in January, 1902, he left his widow, Benita King Howell, married again.

FLORENCE STEWART HOWELL with her black "Mammy", White Plains, Georgia

FLORENCE "PATIENCE" POLLARD

Florence remembers Columbus and the home on Fourth Avenue near Thirteenth Street North and also the colonial home at 1008 North Third Avenue, in Columbus, Mississippi.

The colonial home was located between the Tom Franklin home, he was a banker in the town, and Dr. Wofford, a leading dentist.

Florence has many beautiful memories of the Southern town with its ancient magnolias and magnolia-fuscata trees with their heavy fragrance. She has fond memories of the Stephen Dill Lee property on the top of Bluett's Hill where she lingered at the wrought iron fence en route to Franklin Academy.

On the lawn of his property stood statues of a Saint Bernard dog and a life-size deer.

A high school was built on the acres and the old home was used as a library but the beautiful gardens had to go.

Florence remembers a Mrs. Mustin who used to drive out through the town every afternoon before sunset. Her husband, Mr. Eugene, owned the livery stable and Mrs. Mustin drove two black beauties, holding to white leather lines. Her buggy whip held a large lavendar bow of ribbon. What a memory! Sometimes she paused to greet Florence and ask about the health of the family.

Florence remembers the Ussury family. They lived on Third Avenue North at Thirteenth Street. Dolly Ussury wore red shoes, the envy of Florence. Dolly rode in a little pony-trap with two black Shetland ponies drawing it. Dolly also had a grey donkey which was a joy to ride. The Ussury family gave an annual barbecue every July Fourth and banquet tables were covered with delicious foods, pot-luck brought by the invited guests who partook of the well-seasoned barbecue, the watermelons and the home-made ice cream (made of boiled custard and whipped cream). The Ussury family had the first swimming pool she ever saw. A concrete rectangular basin for water that was pumped in from a short distance away.

Florence recalls the many orators of the small town of Columbus: James T. Harrison, William Landrum and General Stephen D. Lee, Pat Harrison and others.

She remembers the pavilion at Lake Park. The trolley, open on both sides, used to take many crowds to the park. One time she went out to hear James K. Vardaman speak.

This was a spot where the young people danced in the summer. Columbus was noted for her beautiful girls: Frances Humphries, Nell Carter, Mary Payne Chapman, Mattie Estill Eckford, Nina Weedin Oliver and her sister Frances, Katherine McKinley, Katherine Maer, Emily Rhett, Angelo Brown, Marie and Theresa Mullen, Jennie Sharp, Martha Eggleston, May Gunter, Eldora Peck, The Dashield girls, Frances and Ida, and the Woods girls, and Elise Lipscomb.

The town "shiek" was Seth Meek. The Burrus twins, William and Oscar, were the top gentlemen of the younger set. Charles and Edmund Mullen were known for their gentility, also Blanch McClannahan, and William Landrum, George and Zack Landrum, and Hal Brown who later became editor of the West Memphis paper.

The Columbus Dispatch was the leading paper owned by Mr. Percy Maer, whose daughter, Katherine, was the belle of the town. She was dressed like a French doll by her lovely blonde mother.

The Commercial was owned by the Senters. George took over at his father's

passing and his sister, Ruth, married the principal of the high school, Thomas Edison Lott, who later became a public accountant.

The churches in Columbus were many and most of them were old but fine types of architecture. The steeple on the First Methodist was the tallest in the town.

THE SOCIETY OF DESCENDANTS OF
KNIGHTS of the MOST NOBLE ORDER of the GARTER
TAKES PLEASURE IN INVITING YOU

Mrs. Clarence Owens Pollard

TO PERMIT YOUR NAME TO BE PLACED
IN NOMINATION FOR ENROLLMENT AS A FOUNDER
WITH THE PRIVILEGE OF NAMING YOUR SUCCESSOR

IF THIS INTERESTS YOU, YOUR CONSENT ACCOMPANIED BY YOUR CHECK TO THE ORDER OF THE SOCIETY FOR $50, PERPETUAL FOUNDER MEMBERSHIP FEE, MAY BE SENT TO THE SIGNET, MARY ELIZABETH GRIFFITH, THE BLUE RIBBON WITH GOLD PENDANT AND THE ILLUMINATED CERTIFICATE WILL BE PROVIDED BY THE SOCIETY.

The First Baptist Church was built by D. S. McClannahan, who also built many of the buildings on the campus of the Mississippi State College for Women.

A. A. Kincannon was for many years president of the Industrial Institute and College as it was called before the change to Mississippi State College for Women. Henry L. Whitfield was also president and later became the Governor of the State of Mississippi.

Florence attended I. I. and C. in 1916-1917. (Her family moved to Alabama again.)

Columbus had an Opera House and it was there that much good music was heard over the years. Miss Mattie Lou Brown brought many outstanding musicians to the college in Columbus where she was head of the Voice Department. Miss Grey Irion and Miss Marie Louise McQuiston taught music at the high school.

Miss Gladys MacGeorge taught art for many years in Columbus, while Miss MacArthur taught art at the college.

The leading department stores were Simon Loeb, Kaufman, W. C. Beard and Selig's.

The Columbus library was once in the City Hall building. Later the citizens went to the college library so the City Hall library closed.

Mr. Will Gunter was Mayor, later D. S. McClannahan, then Hick McClannahan, to name a few.

As a little girl, Florence was a flower girl in the wedding of Miss Nell Davis who married Mr. Brabston of Birmingham, Alabama, in 1906. She was also flower girl in the wedding of Hick McClannahan and Alice Thompson in 1907.

While in the Franklin Academy, during her last year in high school, Florence entertained her classmates with dramatic readings learned in Birmingham, where the family lived for three years.

HENRY LATHROP HOWELL Brother of FLORENCE S. HOWELL POLLARD

Florence took music lessons from Mattie Lou Taylor who died of tuberculosis. This was a great sorrow in the life of the little musician whose talent was beginning to develop.

Among her closest friends, while a little girl growing up in Columbus, were Pearl Araminta Brown. Pearl had a terrible goiter operation that left her an invalid for life. She passed on. Lucy Lee Marshall married Robert Caldwell who formerly lived in Columbus but had moved to Chicago where he owned a chain of drug stores. He passed on and Lucy lives in Panama City, Florida, today (1973). Mary Hackleman, whose father owned a hardware store, often invited Florence to her home out on Military Road. Florence enjoyed a Five Hundred Club that had among its members Katherine Banks, Nina Weedin Oliver and many others in that group.

Florence was taken ill with appendicitis in April, 1915. The family took her to a physician they had known in Birmingham years before. She later entered Blessed Sacrament Academy at West End and took work to prepare her for the entrance examination to the college in Columbus, Mississippi.

Florence stood the entrance examination under Miss Nielsen, secretary to President Whitfield. She entered the Freshman class in 1916 but, before the year was over, the family moved back to Birmingham.

The Central High School in Birmingham, where Florence had formerly been a student, burned during World War I. It was thought an arsonist set the school aflame. The new Herbert Phillips High School was built.

EDUCATION OF FLORENCE S. HOWELL (POLLARD)

Franklin Academy, Columbus, Mississippi, through seventh grade.
Paul Hayne High School, Birmingham, Alabama, Junior High School.
Central High School, Birmingham, Alabama, High School.
Franklin Academy, 1915.
Industrial Institute and College (later changed to Mississippi State College for Women), 1916-1917.
Massey Business College, Birmingham, Alabama, Business course, 1918.
Roberson School of Personality, Washington, D.C., 1918.
McLinn School of Dramatics (Currie Method), Birmingham, Alabama, 1922.
Woodrow School of Dramatics (Limuel T. White system), Dallas, Texas, 1927-29.
Studied with Miss Donna Hamburger, Mobile, Alabama, exponent of Emerson School of Oratory, 1921-22.
Studied dramatics with Mrs. Mildred Martin Weldon, Birmingham, Alabama, 1922.
Santa Monica City College, Santa Monica, California, 1934.
U. C. L. A., Westwood, California, 1936.
Studied Poetry technique for 13 years with Miss Neeta Marquis, 1930-40.
Took lectures with Dr. Margaret Richter on Shakespeare and Spenser.
Studied 'Social Ease' with Lady Isabelle Hanbury of England, in California, 1932.
Studied Personality and Charm with Margery Wilson, 1960.

Studied Color Harmony with Diana Vance of Arcadia, California. 1962
Studied Color and Design at Laguna School of Art and Design, Laguna Beach, California. 1961
Studied Radio Script Writing with Don McNamara at KFI Radio Station in the 1930's.
Studied Diction with John Philip Morley, an Englishman, Hollywood, California. 1935
Studied Tone Production with Felix Bosch of Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. 1935

PUBLICATIONS OF "PATIENCE" FLORENCE HOWELL POLLARD

Three collections of Poetry: Forgetting All Else, Memory is Bold, Armed With Song.

Two brochures: "The Pollards", "Alison Louise Pickens" and a book "Forty-Four Families".1974.

Poems have appeared in the following: St. Joseph's Magazine, "Little Flower," Script Magazine, Torchbearer of Texas, Bozart-Westminister, War Cry, Clear Horizons, Red Shield, Archer, Blue Moon, North Carolina Poetry Review, A Century with Texas Poets, Vespers, Our Navy, Dallas News, Birmingham News, Commercial Dispatch of Columbus, Mississippi, Chaparral Horizons, Baptist Teacher, Silver Star, Kaleidograph National Poetry Magazine, Denver Post, Muse of 1941, Horizon House, "Look to This Day" anthology of Poetry Society of Southern California, "Towers in the Sun" by same group, Anthology of War-Time Verse, Inglewood Daily News, Santa Barbara Press, "Trees in the Wind" Anthology, New Awareness. Listed: Biographical Dictionary of Poets, "Who's Who in California," "Who's Who in the West," "Who's Who Among International Poets," "Who's Who Among American Women," The Blue Book of California, "Blood Royal" London, England, "Two Thousand Women of Achievement,""British and American Writers" 1972. Poems taped and read by David Ross, narrator 1974. "Americans of Royal Descent" 1973.

CLUBS AND ACTIVITIES

Vice-president of Psychology Club of Birmingham, Alabama.
Program Chairman of Oak Cliff Fine Arts, Dallas, Texas.
Program Chairman for Merwood Park Civic Association, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.
Literature Chairman for Santa Monica Bay Women's Club, Santa Monica, California.
Vice-president of same club.
President of Santa Monica Writers Club (during which time a dinner at Hotel Miramar honoring Charles Warren, Editor of Santa Monica Evening Outlook was given with 400 attending).
Curator of Poetry for Ebell Club of Los Angeles, with membership of 3,000

Organized Hemet Branch of American Penwomen; Regent of Estudillo Chapter, DAR, Hemet, California.
State Chairman for Colonial Dames of XVII Century and delegate to Washington.
Later President of Colonial Dames, Plymouth Chapter.
Daughter of American Colonists.
Member of Magna Charter Dames (descendent of Sir William Clopton, Long Melford, England, so a member of Knights of the Garter.)

Was at one time a patroness for the Los Angeles Museum, Hollywood Bowl, Philharmonic Auxiliary Maintenance Fund during the 1930's, Music Arts Society of Santa Monica.

TRAVELS

Spent a month on the Caribbean and on the Atlantic going to Europe with artist and muraliste, Margaret Dobson. Took a British ship owned by the Donaldsons whom they were to visit at Weemys Bay, Scotland.

Hawaii some nine times.

Around-the-World tour from San Francisco through Orient, to Holy Land, back to France, Thailand, Lebanon, England and home.

Trip to South America.

Trip to Northern Europe, Grand European Tour on Holland-American Line.

Another trip to Europe with daughter and granddaughter (graduation gift). Visited Oberam mergau "Passion Play."

Trip to France and England. Chateaux and Normandy, visited ancestral homes at Stratford and Long Melford, England.

Trip to Greek Islands, through Italy, took ship at Venice. Back through Portugal, Turkey and Yugoslavia.

Trip to South Pacific, 1972.

Another Caribbean Cruise on Mardi Gras ship, 1973.

Irish deluxe trip.

Trip to Africa 1974 with her husband.

A trip to England with daughter, Marion to see ancestral homes, 1973.

A total of over 200,000 miles traveled.

The Clarence Pollards sold their home at 402 21st Place, Santa Monica, California and moved to Silver Stag Ranch, fifteen miles south of Hemet, California, a town on the fringe of the desert. They lived there for three years.

They later bought Circle C Ranch which totaled some 685 acres where the chief interest was raising Hereford cattle, highly bred Shetland ponies, pheasants and peacocks.

They sold the ranch property to Dr. Toma of Downey, California, and moved to 41734 Crest Drive, Hemet, in June, 1960.

JAN AND CORNELIUS BERRIEN

JAN BERRIEN, for whom the town of Berrien, France is named, went from France to the Netherlands. It is from this point that Cornelius Berrien came to America in 1665. He was probably born in the Netherlands, but of this we have no proof to date. He was the father of six children. He married Janetie Strycker of Flatbush, Long Island, the daughter of the most prominent man, Cornelius Berrien who died in 1688 in Newtown.

"John Berrian. In the name of God, Amen. I, John Berrian, of Newtown in Queens County, on Nassau Island, being sick and weak. My executors are to have full power to sell lands. I leave to my wife Ruth all that my Plantation on which I now dwell, with all the appurtenances, during her widowhood, and all the movables during the minority of my son Cornelius. After her decease all the estate is to go to my children (not named). I make my brother, Nicholas Berrian, my father in law, Joris Rapalye, and Richard Edsall, executors." Will:

Dated April 1, 1711. Witnesses, Cornelius Lister, Joris Brinckerhoff, James Hazzard. Proved, April 30, 1711.

As to Jan Strycker, this may be a good time to state that his signature is shown on page 212 History of Kings Co., Patentees of Flatbush under Don Juan Charter, Thomas Dongan. See Church of Flatbush 323.

John Berrien, son of Cornelius and Janetie Strycker Berrien, was born approx. 1667 in Flatbush, Long Island. He moved with his father in 1684 to Newtown, where he lived until his death in April, 1711. He married his step-sister, Ruth Edsall, daughter of Samuel Edsall and Ruth Woodhull Edsall.

Samuel Edsall and Ruth Woodhull were married 1678. He died 1702. He married Dec. 29, 1719, see page 1027 Long Island 1727, April 9, page 22, Newtown Episcopal Church 1710 records.

Cornelius Jansen Berrien, married Sarah Hallett, daughter of Samuel Hallett and Bridgett Blackwell daughter of Robert Blackwell who died 1717. Cornelius Jansen Berrien and wife Sarah H. Berrien lived in what is now Queens County, New York. The geography around Hell Gate includes Hallett's Cove and Berrien's Island, named for our families. See Deeds "D", 120, Hallett page 1031. First professional school teacher in U.S.A., was Peter Berrien, son of Cornelius Jansen and Sarah Hallett Berrien, was born 1737. He married December 22, 1763, Hannah Campbell. Peter was in all probability in the Revolutionary War, but to this date we cannot prove it. Peter married December 22, 1763, see volume 7, page 518, New York Marriages Before 1784. Peter and Hannah had one child Sarah Berrien.

This may be a good time to insert Robert Blackwell died 1717. First of Elizabethtown, New Jersye, 1676 of New York and Newtown, Long Island. Married 1676, Mary Manningham, daughter of Robert and Bridgett of Long Island, Genealogy Records.

Sarah Berrien, daughter of Peter Berrien and Hannah Campbell Berrien was born September 29, 1764. She married July 17, 1783. Daniel James Brooks, he, born February 15, 1750, died January 13, 1830. He was buried by the side of his wife, Sarah in the churchyard of Grace Episcopal Church of Jamaica, New York of Orange County. James D. Brooks was a pewholder and a vestryman of the church, see the history of this church for this record. We have been told in

the family that this Mr. Brooks was a member of the First Families of Virginia, but of this I have no proof to date.

Hannah Brooks, daughter of Daniel James Brooks and Sarah Berrien Brooks was born, May 29, 1789 in Nova Scotia. (It is believed that Mr. Brooks was probably a Tory by his being in Nova Scotia and said to have had an English background.) Hannah Brooks married November 19, 1808, William Thompson was born April 12, 1781 in Brooklyn, New York and died of yellow fever when the terrible epidemic swept through Augusta, Georgia. He died September 10, 1839. (Buried in Georgia.)

He built a house on wheels and traveled down to Augusta, Ga., for his health. The furniture was sent around by the Cape. William Thompson was a prominent architect of New York, and had one brother who remained in N.Y., in this profession.

Elizabeth Thompson, the only child, was born in New York City, 1817 and was brought at the age of one year to Augusta, Ga. She married March 6, 1837, Edmund Heard, son of George Heard and Edna Perrin Heard (his wife of Cambridge, South Carolina.) See license.

Edmund Heard and his father-in-law, William Thompson were engaged in cotton brokerage business in Augusta. They finally failed in this business. Edmund Heard died leaving his wife Elizabeth with a large family of children and many debts. Elizabeth taught school, paid all of the obligations and put all of her children through the university, which was quite a record for a widow in those times.

Their daughter Emma Berrien Heard married John McKinney Howell, M.D. of White Plains, Ga., son of John Johnson Howell and Elmina McBride Howell.

HALLET . . . . . HALLETT

Samuel Hallet's name comes into our family in our Berrien line. Samuel Hallett Jr., was the son of Samuel Hallett Sr. and Bridgett, daughter of Robert Blackwell and Mary Manningham, See Riker's Annals of Newtown, Long Island page 405.

Samuel Hallett, Senior was the son of William Hallett.

Bridgett was baptized 9 April 1727, in New York.

See Genealogical and Biographical Records vol. 19, page 10.

Bridgett died 19 February 1749.

Samuel died 7 March 1756, at age 78, born 1678.

See Presbyterian Church Records, page 51.

Sarah Hallett, 2nd daughter, married Cornelius Berrien on 29 December 1719, N. Y. Genealog. and Biograph. Records Volume 14, page 144. Records of Presbyterian Church Newtown, Long Island. See page 38, see page 960 "Delafield Family".

Peter Berrien is mentioned in the will of Samuel Edsall.

Will dated 17 April 1706, Samuel was the first child, first son of 3 sons and seven daughters.

Father died 27 December 1724, at 73 years. 1651 born . . . see Riker's Annals of Newtown, Long Island.

See Family Tree in my possession.
One for Hallett's and one for Edsalls.

EDSALL FAMILY

The name Edsall appears first in our Berrien line. Samuel Edsall, born ?, died 1701. Arrived in Boston, 1648 by ship "Tryal", from Reading, Berkshire County, England, where he was born. He was married twice, and probably came to America unmarried. He married May 29, 1655 to Janetie Wessell, daughter of J. Wessell and wife Millgan Bonnan Wessell.

2. Married 1675 to Naomi Moore, widow of Samuel Moore, a N.Y. merchant who died 1616 without issue.
3. Married 1618 to Ruth Woodhull, daughter of Richard Woodhull who was born Thenford, Northamptonshire, England. September 20, 1620, and wife Deborah. They had two children. She died 1687/8.
4. Married Janetie Strycker of Flatbush, Long Island. The widow of Cornelius Jans Berrien (no children.) See "Samuel Edsall by John C. Wait. publ 1931. Samuel Edsall was a member of Council Feb. 16, 1672 appointed by Philip Carterer ruler of New Jersey. Vol i, N.J. Archives, page 81-82. His New Jersey tract was Woodbridge. Was Justice of the Peace of Newtown, L.IS. Vol. 2, History of N.Y. pg. 347, Member of Leisler's Council 1687-9, in N.Y. City.

JAN STRYCKER

Jan Strycker married 1) Margarita Schenck, 1704. She was the mother of nine children. She died 1721.

Jan Strycker married Sarah Bergen of Brooklyn, N.Y. See "Tales of Our Kinfolks, Out Butler Ancestors", by Henry Landon Butler. 1602-1919, published 1919.

Jan and Jacobus Van Strycker 1652- arrived from Kuinen, Province of Drenthe Netherlands in America. Owned a lot of land on the west side of Great Highway at North River, Manhattan, Island. Founded Old Knickerbocker family, this name in New Amsterdam, N.Y. 1654 Jan founded a Dutch Colony on Long Island at what is now Flatbush, Long Island.

1. Lambertje Beubering married in Holland. Had eight children Magistrate of Flatbush from 1654-1679.

Janetie Strycker married into our Cornelius Berrien family.

Jan Strycker was the third child of Peter Strycker and Anetje Berends Strycker. See Annals of Newtown pg 339, N.Y Genealogical and biographical Records XIII, pg. 195.

EMMA BERRIEN HEARD

Mrs. John McKinney Howell (Emma Berrien Heard) was born April 22, 1841, in Augusta, Georgia. She was the daughter of Edmund Heard and Elizabeth Thompson Heard. Edmund Heard was the son of George and Mary Perrin Heard of South Carolina. Edmund was born October 10, 1807, in South Carolina and died April 30, 1853, in Augusta, Georgia. He was a cotton broker. George Heard, was the son of John Heard, Earl of Tyrone County, Ireland and wife Margaret (both born in England.)

ELIZABETH THOMPSON

Elizabeth Thompson was born September 28, 1817, in New York. She married March 6, 1837, at Augusta, Georgia, where her father, William Thompson, and her mother, Hannah Brooks Thompson, went for Mr. Thompson's health. Elizabeth and Edmund Heard were married by George Walker in Augusta, Georgia. Elizabeth died there on October 17, 1872.

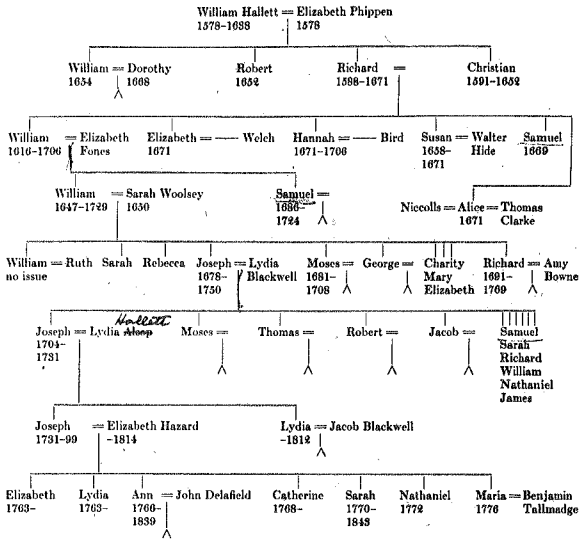
Elizabeth Thompson Heard

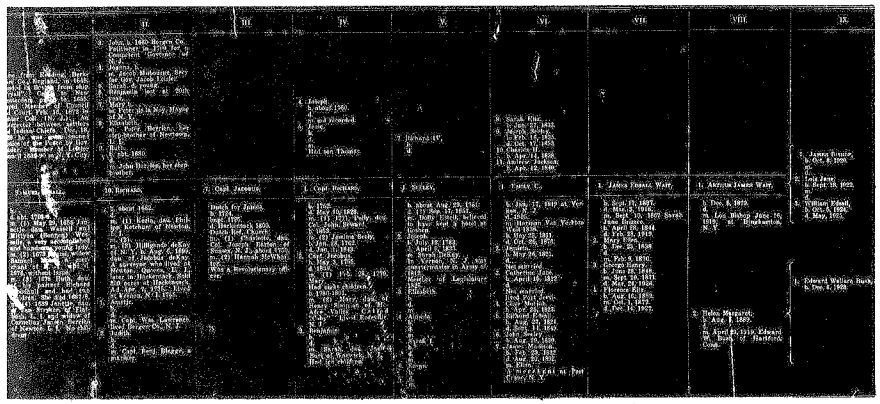
Hannah Campbell Brooks

Daniel Jones Brooks

OUTLINE PEDIGREE OF THE HALLETT FA

The dates are those of the first and last mentions of the individual as living





HEARD

The name George Heard enters our family in the South Carolina District, He married Edna Perrin daughter of William Perrin (of Joseph and Rebecca Perrin of Lunenburg, Co., Virginia) and Mary Clopton, daughter of William Clopton and wife Cassandra, of New Kent, County, Virginia.)

George Heard was the son of Thomas Heard and Polly MacDonald Heard, Thomas Heard was the son of John Heard, Jr., and Hannah Underwood Heard, and John Heard was the son of John Heard and wife, Margaret of England.

Going back to George Heard, he was a Revolutionary Soldier and his records appear in Indents O-Q. Old Cambridge, South Carolina, where he died, and where his wife lived and died.

His wife, Edna, was born in Edgefield District, South Carolina, married on June 6, 1786. George Heard is recorded in the first census of 1790 as of 96 District, South Carolina. Mr. Heard married Elizabeth Goode. In his will dated 29 April 1816, proved December 11, 1820, he mentions his wife, Elizabeth Heard; sons George Jared Heard, Thomas Heard, Abner Heard, Robert Wilson Heard, Edmund Heard (my line), and daughter Betsey Ann Heard.

Their children totalling all:

Mary Clopton, Thomas, Lewis Heard, Zachary Heard, George J., Abner, Elizabeth Ann, Robert W., Albert and Edmund twins.

Revolutionary record from 1780-83, see page 82 O-Q
Will Book C, pages 51-52, S. Carolina.

Edmund Heard, born October 10, 1807, died April 30, 1853. Born in South Carolina and died in Augusta, Georgia. He was a cotton broker.

PERRIN FAMILY

Because William Perrin married into our family, we show the records we have on file.

William was the son of Joseph Perrin and wife Rebecca Ligon. It is believed that her name was Ligon because of the close association with the Perrin family, the Ligons of Lunenburg Co., Virginia. Joseph lived in Lunenburg County, Virginia, which was cut off to make Charlotte County, Virginia.

(The Ligons came from Henrico County, Virginia and they owned land with the Joseph Perrins.)

Joseph patented land in Lunenburg Co., Virginia in 1751. He had been living there prior to that time as he is listed in Lunenburg County with his son William Perrin, (who married later Mary Clopton daughter of William Clopton of Virginia.)

Joseph's son, Samuel was listed with Abraham Martin's list. Joseph Perrin lived in Twitty's Creek.

Joseph Perrin purchased his first land from Mr. Twitty, in Brunswick, Va.

Samuel, eldest son of Joseph Perrin married Jane Wade who was a widow at time of marriage in 1764. They had two sons: He died in 1786. Jane Perrin, widow, names several Wade children and sons Joseph and George Perrin.

Their issue:

1. Samuel, who married Jane Wade, a widow.
2. William, who married Mary Clopton
3. George
4. Josephus
5. Elizabeth (Mrs. Jones.)
6. Sarah, (Mrs. Sullivant)
7. Nancy, (Mrs. Burton)
8. Leenah (Mrs. Sullivant) (sisters married brothers)

Joseph Perrin, the father deeded land to both Samuel and William before his death in 1773. So they are not mentioned in the will.

WILLIAM PERRIN

William Perrin born in 1730 in Charlotte Co., Virginia. He married Mary Clopton, daughter of William Clopton of Kent Co., Virginia. William Perrin and wife Mary, married in Virginia and moved in 1774 to Edgefield District, South Carolina.

There was a large migration of families from Charlotte and Lunenburg Counties in Virginia, to old Ninety Six, South Carolina including our relatives.

Issue of William and Mary C. Perrin.

1. Abner Perrin
2. Samuel Perrin married Eunice Chiles
3. William Perrin, Jr., married Mary Ballengar
4. George Henry Perrin
5. Mary Perrin married Richard Tutt
6. Elizabeth Perrin
7. Rebecca Perrin married George Anderson
8. Sarah Perrin married George Sullivan
9. Margaret Perrin married John Foster
10. Martha Perrin married Livingson Mims
11. Edna Perrin (my line) She married George Heard, Rev. Soldier.
12. Lettie Perrin (Youngblood)

This Heard family is written up by A. Evans Wynn, in "Thirteen Georgia Families".

See Isle of Wight, Virginia for John Heard and Hannah Underwood.
See Franklin County, Marshall Winfield and Hanover County, Virginia.
See Land Grants at Columbia So. Carolina, Granville, South Carolina.
February 21, 1775.

WILLIAM THOMPSON

William Thompson, son of James and Mary Read Thompson, was born April 12, 1781, in New York and died September 10, 1839, in Augusta, Georgia, where he is buried. His wife, Hannah Brooks was born May 29, 1789, in Nova Scotia. They were married November 19, 1808, in New York.

She died in Augusta, Georgia. Mr. Thompson was an architect in New York and he built a house on wheels for the move to Georgia. The furniture was shipped via The Horn.

HANNAH BROOKS

Hannah Brooks was the daughter of Daniel James Brooks who was born February 15, 1750, in Virginia and died September 10, 1839, in Jamacia, New York. His wife, Sarah Berrien, was born September 29, 1764, in New York. They were married July 17, 1783, Book of Marriages, New York, Volume 139, page 94. A fire destroyed many records but the marriage license, though water stained, was salvaged.

SARAH BERRIEN

Sarah Berrien was the daughter of Peter Berrien, born in New York in 1737 (his death date not recorded here). He married Hannah Campbell on December 22, 1783, Book of Marriages, New York, Volume 7, page 518. Peter was the son of Cornelius Berrien and Sarah Hallett. Cornelius was born in 1698 and married Sarah on December 29, 1719. Sarah was the daughter of Samuel and Bridgett Blackwell Hallett.

Cornelius was the son of John Berrien, who was born in 1667 in Flatbush, Brooklyn, New York. John married Ruth Edsall, daughter of Samuel and Ruth Woodhull Edsall. Cornelius was born in Berrien, France (village no longer in existence). He died in 1688 in Newtown, Long Island, New York. He married Janetie Strycker, daughter of Jan Strycker, the most prominent man in Flatbush and Lord Mayor Jan Strycker.

Jan Berrien was born in Berrien, France, probably a ghost town now.

STATE OF GEORGIA

RICHMOND COUNTY

To any Minister of the Gospel, Judge, Justice of the Inferior Court, or Justice of the Peace, or any Person authorized to celebrate:

These are to authorize and permit you to join in the HONORABLE STATE OF MATRIMONY John M. Howell of the one part, and Emma B. Heard of the other part, according to the Rites of your Church: Provided there be no lawful cause to obstruct the same; and this shall be your authority for so doing.

Given under my hand, as Ordinary, for the County aforesaid, this twentieth day of December, 1859.

Foster Blodget, Jr., Ordinary

I HEREBY CERTIFY that John M. Howell and Emma B. Heard were joined together in the HOLY BANS OF MATRIMONY, by me, on the 20th day of December, 1859.

J. E. Ryerson,

EMMA BERRIEN HEARD
(Continued)

Mrs. Howell, born 1841, was the daughter of Elizabeth Thompson and Edmund Heard of Augusta, Georgia.

Edmund Heard was the son of George Heard, a Revolutionary soldier, and wife, Mary Perrin. Edmund was born in 1768 in Old Cambridge, South Carolina and died on April 30, 1853 in Augusta, Georgia. George Heard was son of Thomas of George Heard.

Mary Perrin was the daughter of William Perrin, (son of Joseph Perrin and and Rebecca Liggon of Lunenberg, Virginia.) Will Perrin married Mary Clopton, who was born November 3, 1737 in New Kent County, Virginia. She was the daughter of William Clopton and wife, Cassandra, no maiden name given, only "Cassandra my wife" in the records. She was born in 1715.

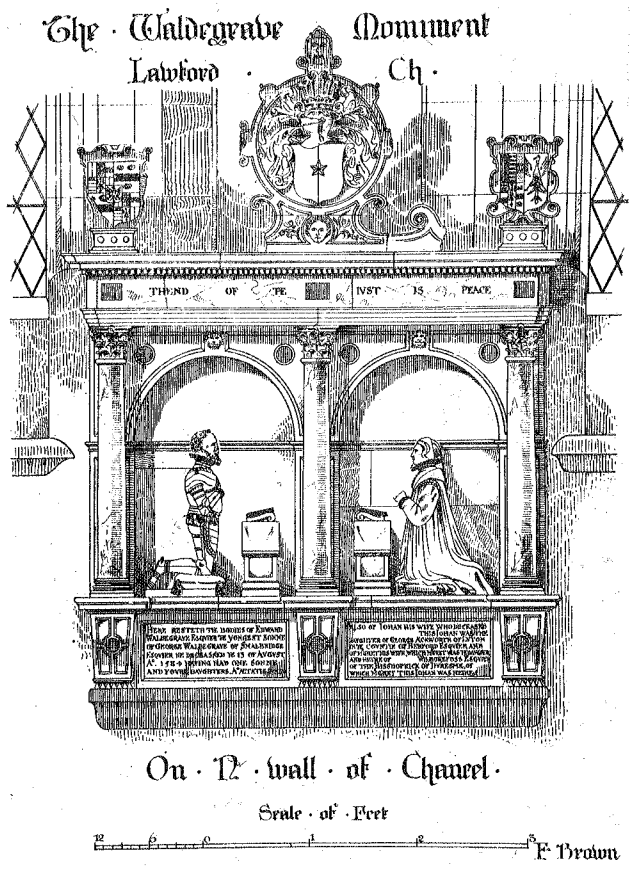
William Clopton, Gentleman, was the son of Reverend William Clopton, who was baptized October 19, 1613. He, Reverend William Clopton died in Eastwood, Essex Co., England in 1671. His wife, Elizabeth Sutcliffe, was the daughter of Reverend Isaian Sutcliffe, D. D. of Rettendon, Essex County, England. She was married in 1653 and died there in England in 1683.

Reverend William Clopton was the son of Walter Clopton who was baptized June, 1585, Groton, Suffolk County, England. Walter Clopton was married to Margaret Maydstone on April 24, 1512 at Boxted, England. He died there in 1622. Margaret was born April 21, 1512, at Boxted, England and died at Boxted. Walter Clopton died at "Castelyn Manor".

Lawford Hall, Lawford, Essex, England – Francis Nichols

This writer took a train from London to Colchester and then took a taxicab to Long Melford where she drove up a mile and a half through 257 lime trees that overlapped to the fieldstone wall that was covered with pink Rambler roses. The Kentwell Hall had 35 rooms and this writer went through the

building. There is a chapel built into the mansion. She also visited in 1973 the Smallbridge School at Bures, the former home of George Waldegrave and wife. The Coat of Arms is in a window of the Great Hall in colors.



Monument of Edward Waldegrave and his wife Joan (Acworth) Waldegrave, Lawford Church Florence Pollard saw this after a visit with Francis Nichols' family at Lawford Hall.

The Living room or great hall in Kentwell Hall is 50 x 40 feet in size, the room called "my master's room", is beyond it to the East, and the library beyond the master's room. It overlooks the meadow and Holy Trinity Church. Back of the entrance hall is a very large formal dining room and the kitchen to the west. There are several rooms on the first floor, one is called "my Lady's room" and the others are used for bedrooms.

A chapel is built in the home and it carries interesting colored glass windows. One entire floor is devoted to bedrooms all immense rooms.

A park on the north side of the home has beech trees, star pines, and Cedars of Lebanon, and birch to name a few. There is a riding stable on the north side of the house.

The property was originally 6,000 acres. Land has been sold off and at present Barrister J. C. V. Phillips has bought the property and we understand has been successful in getting a grant of $50,000 to restore the place which they expect to make a show place.

SUFFOLK, ENGLAND

Suffolk Maritime County East England is divided administratively into Suffolk East (871 sq. miles, population 358,000) and Suffolk West (611 sq. miles, population 138,000).

It is low and undulating, mainly agricultural as a region and it is one of England's chief grain producers.

Ipswich and Bury are the chief towns.

The surface of Suffolk is level or general flat falling away into marshes on the northwest and southeast borders. The tributaries are the Waveney and of the Stour, the Lark, and the Gipping are the chief rivers.

The county seat of East Suffolk is Ipswich, a county borough, and the county seat of West Suffolk is Bury St. Edmonds.

As stated, the chief or principal industry is agriculture and the counties are two of England's chief grain-raising areas. Other crops are sugar beets, clover, turnips, peas and beans. Dairying is important and cattle, sheep, horses and pigs are raised. The principal manufacturing includes agricultural implements, artificial manure, malt and cotton, linen and silk textiles.

Area of East Suffolk, excluding the county borough of Ipswich, is 858 sq. miles. The population has increased since the above was taken.

We are interested in Long Melford. Also in Groton, County Suffolk.

Holy Trinity Church is nearby and the Cloptons gave land and money for the building. Cenotaph of Sir William Clopton is there. (Rev. Charles Robert Herbert, Rector 1973)

There are so many William Cloptons, I must accept quotes.

Time nor space permit a lengthy description but memory will keep fresh the picture received at that beautiful spot.

A Barrister, J. C. V. Phillips, has purchased the mansion and stated for the newspaper that he intended to spend a million dollars on the interior.

The Samuel Blochs live in Castelyns Manor at Groton and are most gracious people.

CASTELYNS (CASTLINGS) HALL

"In 1287 the lordship of the Manor of Castelyns in Groton, County of Suffolk, was held by Sir Gilbert Chastelyn who died in 1294. Through an intermarriage in a later generation came the Knyvet claim to the property.

In Thomas Knyvet's will dated 1458, he refers to the holdings thus: "tenement, sixty acres of land, and forty acres of pasture, and ten acres of wood and under-wood, held as Kersey Pricy and also the Manor of Castelyns at Groton." (See Inq. p.m. 37 Henry VI, 18.)

"Thomas was succeeded by his son and heir John Knyvet, aged thirty-seven, and at his death, 1481. (See Inq. p.m. 20 Edward IV, 90.)

"The Inquisition refers to the Manor by name, Castelyn in Groton as of Kersey Priorty." John Knyvet's will was dated 1476 and proved 1486. He was succeeded by his grandson Edward Knyvet, the son of Thomas Knyvet, his eldest son and heir (whose death occurred in 1481, the same year as his father's). At Edward Knyvet's death, February, 1500, he was succeeded by his daughter Elizabeth, wife of John Raynsford, who died February 4, 1508, when the manor passed to the next three heirs: Thomasine Knyvet, wife of Sir William Clopton of Kentwell Hall in Long Melford, County Suffolk, Knt. Elizabeth, wife of John Clopton, and Catherine Roydon.

In 1548 Francis Clopton of Melford, eldest son of Sir William and his third wife, Thomasine Knyvet, succeeded to his mother's share in the Manor. His will, (P.C.C. Cheyne 33) dated 1558 (he having died without issue) named his nephew William Clopton, ("son of my brother Richard Clopton") his heir.

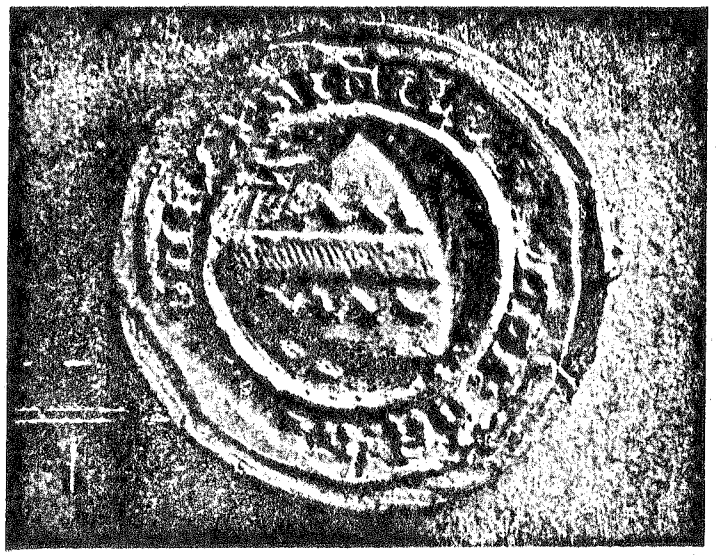
William Clopton, then of London in a deed bearing date of February 15, 1575, granted the Queen all his right and interest in this and other Manors (Harl, Charter 48 D 27) but the grant was not effective "so long as the said William Clopton paid 40S yearly to the Excequer."

In the sixteenth Century the present Manor (Copinger's Manors of Suffolk; Building Times, August, 1934, Basil Oliver, Architect) was built by this William Clopton who was the first of the Cloptons to reside at Castelyns. The house is of late Elizabethan style. From old documents there is definite indication of an earlier house referred to as "the tenement called Castelains."

The Lordship and the Manor have passed through several different families during the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, and apparently, in the early part of the latter century, the entire character of the Manor house was changed. Herbert E. West, Esquire, who acquired the lordship and manor in 1933, has made splendid restoration of the lovely old house, having had removed the outer shell which had entirely covered the original timbers (a vandalism which had befallen many of the Elizabethan Manor houses in England). Old carvings of crests on bracket supporters in the hall have been preserved and are most interesting reminders of the Cloptons and the Knyvets.

Near the Manor a huge oak (said to be eight hundred years old) stands majestically. One could imagine this witness of many changes now silently approving the restoration, especially the facade of ancient Castelyn Hall."

Kentwell Hall, Long Melford, Suffolk County, England



Ancient Cloptone Seal — British Museum

HISTORICAL NOTES

Clopton, less than a mile to the North of Stratford-on-Avon, was held by the old Clopton family from the days of Henry III until the early part of the Nineteenth Century a tenure of approximately six hundred years, many of their monuments being within Stratford-on-Avon Church.

Among the most distinguished members of their house was Sir Hugh Clopton, a wealthy mercer, Lord Mayor of London in the time of Henry VII, a great benefactor to Stratford, and the builder of the fourteen arched stone bridge over the Avon, to take the place of a more ancient timber structure, ascribed to Queen Mathilda. He also restored the Guild Chapel and erected The Great House, according to Leland a "praty house of brick and timber," for a residence, which was acquired by Shakespeare in 1597 for sixty pounds, owing to its being then "in great ruyne and decay and unrepayred." The poet lost no time in making his property habitable, and changed its name to New Place. Here he is believed to have spent the latter years of his life, and to have breathed his last on April 23, 1616. He also bought 107 acres from the Cloptons and when he died Lady Barnard sold them back with New Place to the Cloptons.

Pope Sixtus IV. granted John Clopton and his heirs license to have mass in their private chapel in 1474; and in the reign of James I. Clopton, which at that time was owned by Sir George Carew, subsequently Baron Carew, of Clopton, and later, Earl of Totness, the husband of Joyce, daughter and heiress of William Clopton, figured in the Gunpowder Plot, as the residence of Ambrose Rokewood, one of the conspirators, to whom it had been sub-let. An inventory of much of Rokewood's personal property, that forfeited to the Crown after the failure of the Conspiracy, is still preserved in the Museum at Stratford and at Clopton House.

After the death of Lord Totness, without issue, in 1629, the property passed to Thomas, son of Anne Clopton, younger sister of Joyce, Lady Totness, who had married William Clopton of Sledwick, Co. Durham. Shortly after it passed to Sir John Clopton, Kt., who had married Barbara, daughter of Sir Edward Walker, the Garter King at Arms. In 1662 both the South and Eastern parts of the house were refaced, and the arms of Sir

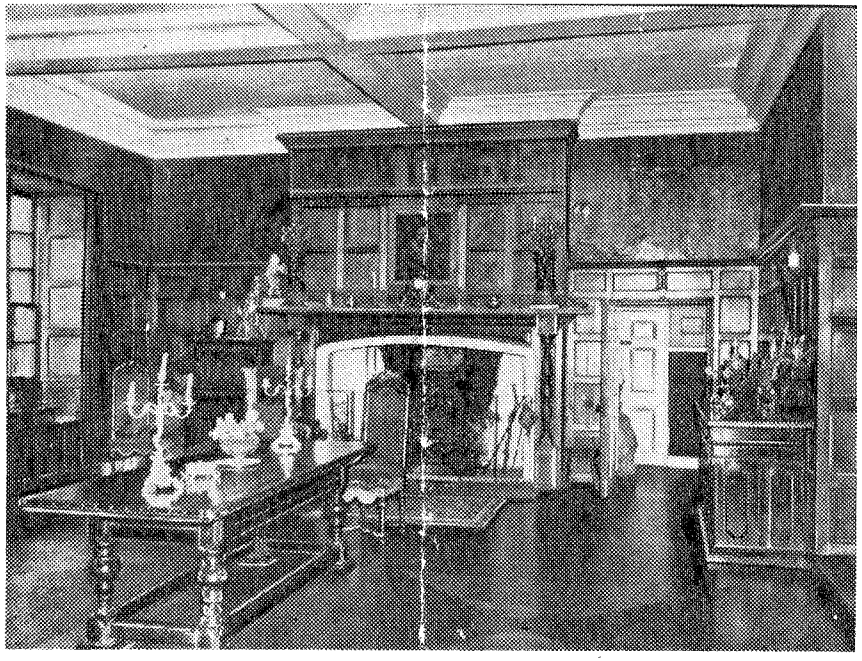
John Clopton placed over the hall door, while those of Sir Edward Walker appeared over the pediment. Its next owner was Sir John's eldest son, Edward, and the latter's son and namesake cut off the entail and disinherited his only surviving son for having married contrary to his wishes.

It has been said that the tragedies of the Cloptons afforded Shakespeare material for some of his plays; notably that the legend of the unfortunate Charlotte Clopton, who is supposed to have been buried alive in the family vault during that terrible visitation of the plague on Stratford in 1564, and who was found, a few days later, standing, dead, at the entrance, suggested the setting of Juliet's death scene. Other profess to see the original of Ophelia in lovesick Margaret Clopton, born in 1564, sister of Joyce, Lady Carew, who drowned herself in a spring beyond the succession of fish ponds at the back of the house; and it is alleged that Scene 2 from the Introduction of The Taming of the Shrew is laid at Clopton House.

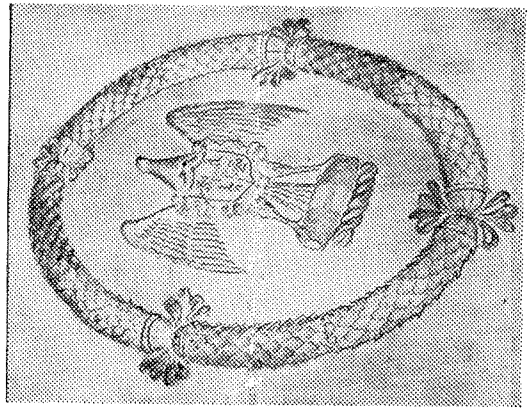
The last mentioned Edward Clopton left his estates to his daughter, Frances, the wife of John Partheriche, High Sheriff for Warwickshire, in 1768, and on her death, without issue, in 1792, they passed to a great-grandson of Sir John Clopton, Charles Boothby Skrymsher, who assumed the name of Clopton. He too, died without male issue, and Clopton was with his relatives, Edward and John Ingram, in turn, both brothers taking the name of Clopton. After the death of the younger, it was acquired by John Gamaliel Lloyd, Esq., who was succeeded by his nephew, Charles Thomas Ward, and in due course, the estate came to the late Sir Arthur Hodgson, K.C.M.G.

Among much else that is interesting, the interior of the mansion at Clopton is enriched by a fine Jacobean staircase, and the 16th Century glass in the Oak Room bears the arms of the Cloptons.

From the neighbouring village of Clopton came to Stratford, about 1480, Sir Hugh Clopton, the last of its early benefactors, and to him the town owed the latest structural improvements. His biography offers many points of interest. He energetically devoted



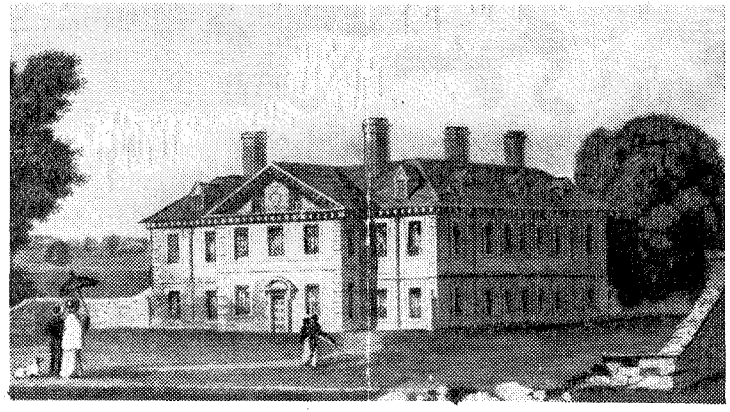
CLOPTON GREAT HALL WITH SHAKESPEARE'S PORTRAIT INSET



EAGLE IN THE CEILING

great abilities to commerce and to commercial speculations, and is noted as an early example of the self-made merchant. His pedigree is traced back to Robert of Clopton, a substantial yeoman, who in 1228 obtained from Peter de Montfort, apparently a relative of the great Simon, the Manor of Clopton, about a mile to the north-east of Stratford. Of the ninth generation of descent, Hugh was a younger son. His elder brother, Thomas, who inherited the family estates and the great Clopton Manor House, was religiously inclined, and built, in the first instance, an oratory in his manor-house, and afterwards a "fair chapel," in which he obtained Pope Sixtus IV's permission to celebrate divine service.

Hugh turned his attention at an early age to trade, and made his fortune as a mercer in London. He was Lord Mayor in 1492, never married, and devoted his leisure and his wealth to philanthropy. Stratford was his country home. There he erected, about 1483, "a pretty house of brick and timber, wherein he lived in his latter days," and obtained lands in other other parts of the town, and in Wilmecote and Bridgetown. His "pretty house," the chief building in the town was New Place, and became Shakespeare's property in 1597. It stood in Chapel Street, at the corner of Chapel Lane, and at the opposite corner of the lane was the chapel of the guild. Clopton hoped to end his days there, and in his will stated his desire to be buried "in the parish church of Stratford within the chapel of our lady, between the altar there and the chapel of the Trinity." But the fates were against the fulfilment of his hope, and, dying in London in 1496, he finally "bequeathed" his body to the chapel of St. Katherine, in the parish church of St. Margaret, Lothbury.



This historic house, the main entrance to which was formerly over a Drawbridge, is the residence of Lady Beecham, who is often able personally to show visitors its numerous treasures.

In the romantic secret chapel, constructed in 1453, in the topmost storey of the house, Shakespeare himself may have been married to Anne Hathaway. At all events, it is likely that he passed many times through the ancient porchway. According to W.H. Ireland, his father, Samuel Ireland, heard of the existence of a hoard of manuscripts, in an attic of Clopton House, which probably once belonged to Shakespeare.

The Works of art on view included a famous portrait of Sir Walter Raleigh by Zucchero, and five important panels by Fragonard. There is also a picture by Giulio Romano, the only artist mentioned by name in any of Shakespeare's works, and a portrait of Shakespeare himself.

King Henry VII once paid a visit to, and slept in, Clopton House, and later in history it was a famous meeting-place of the Gunpowder Plot conspirators. It is believed that Shakespeare pictures the house in his setting for the play within "The Taming of the Shrew," and there is reason to think, also, that he created the character of Ophelia from the story of Margaret Clopton, who drowned herself, for disappointed love, in a pond which can be seen at the rear of the house.

HOW TO REACH FAMOUS CLOPTON HOUSE

From Birmingham Road (which may be approached from Henley Street) take the Clopton Road, which is a turning to the right, going away from the town centre. At the top of Clopton Road, a drive runs obliquely across the fields to the Clopton House.

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KENTWELL HALL

"On slightly rising land a short distance north of the village of Long Melford, in suffolk, stands the ancient mansion of Kentwell Hall, for many years the seat of the Clopton family. It is a fine example of Tudor architecture and was built by Sir William Clopton, Knt., in the latter part of the reign of Queen Elizabeth.

The plan is that of a center building with two projecting wings enclosing a small court, surrounded by a moat, which remains complete and perfect. Access to the Manor is by two bridges at different points. The old timber and bricknogged brewhouse and offices, the bases washed by the moat, are picturesque indeed. On the outside of the hall there still remain the large leaden-down-pipes from the roof, adorned with the Clopton Arms. The grounds, the ivy-walled gardens and wide lawns dotted with beautiful trees, are enclosed in part by the second moat.

The beauty of Kentwell is greatly enhanced by the approach through an avenue of 257 lime trees forming a natural arch of foliage overhead for three-quarters of amile from the entrance gate of the park to the mansion. The park comprises about 3,000 acres, well wooded and plentifully stocked with game. At one time the estate covered about 5,000 acres.

Kentwell is splendidly preserved and this, no doubt, is because of the fact that throughout the centuries there has always been someone in residence. The interior is delightfully interesting with many evidences of the Cloptons and their connections. In the fine old windows escutcheons in ancient glass represent the Cloptons and their allied families: the Myldes, Howards, Tendrings, Waldegraves, DeVeres and others, a worthy memorial.

The present mansion was near the property called Kentewelle, also referred to as Lutons in old documents.

In Domedays Book we read of Kentawella, 1086, its earliest known possessor being Frodo, a brother of the Abbot of Bury. In 1251 the property was in the King's hands for Henry III granted it to William de Valence, whose niece married David Strobolgie, Earl of Athol and Steward of Scotland (Coll. Pat. Rolls, 134, Edw. III).

The Earl granted it to Sir Robert Grower (Harl. Mss. Charter, Vol. 1, pages 184-299, 19 Brit-Mus.) in 1933. A daughter (said Robert) married William Neve of Wyting. There is mention of Kentwell Manor in various documents in the 11th and 12th centuries. In the 14th Century it came into the possession of the Cloptons through the marriage of Sir Thomas de Clopton, Knt. (who died 1383) with Katherine Mylde, daughter and heriess of William Mylde of Clare, County Suffolk. At her death in 1404, she bequeathed Kentwell to her son William de Cloptone.

Ancient documents show that the manoral residence was known as Lutons "commonly called Kentwell." (Harl. Ms. 380, British Museum). Part of the present property belonged to the Manor of Monks of Melford for which a deed in 1501 is from the Abbot of the Monastery of Bury. This deed refers also to a grant of "our Chapter House" and also to "William Clopton of Melford."

In his account of English homes, Mr. Tipping (H.A. Tipping, English Homes, Vol. II, pages 354-50) says, "Of Suffolk families to win wealth and position by adding wool weaving to land holding, none did better than the Cloptons." The leading branch "became lords of Kentwell near Long Melford. Before the 14th century closed the Cloptons owned 'Toppes Fee' known as the Manor of Toppesfield in Hadleigh, the land which reached to the churchyard, and in 1438 William Clopton makes the town a gift of land, called Church Croft, for the purposes of fair and market. In the following year he confirms the gift, reserving for his own use a certain long house called Market House with rooms underneath the same called the 'Almshouses' newly constructed alongside the Churchyard. Next he granted to the town the use of the said Long House at the annual rent of one red rose. In 1470 it has got the name of Cloth Hall, but the rooms below are still called the Almshouses. Two years later Pykenham becomes rector and when the new trustees are appointed to administer the Clopton gift, he is one of them, etc."

Eventually Kentwell passed the 17th century through the hands of Cecilia D'Ewes, only surviving child of Sir Simonds D'Ewes, whose wife was Anne Clopton. At Cecilia's death her husband, Sir Thomas D'Arcy, sold Kentwell to Sir John Robinson who was killed trying to escape from his chambers in the Temple, London, during a terrible fire. His heirs sold the estate in the 18th century to John Moor (alias Mould) after it came by sale to Robert Hard Logan, High Sheriff of the County in 1828. Upon Mr. Logan's death (April 1838) Kentwell was purchased by the trustees for Captain Edward Starkie Bence (second son of Colonel Bence) then a minor. Kentwell Hall has remained in the Starkie Bence family to the present day." (Kentwell Hall was left vacant for three years after the passing of Captain Starkie Bence. It was purchased by Barrister J.C.V. Phillips who is the present occupant.)

THOMASINE KNEVET

Thomasine Knevet, eldest daughter, of Thomas and Elizabeth Lunsford Knevet. Married Sir William Clopton of Kentwell Hall, Long Melford in Suffolk, Knt., who died February 20, 1530. She died in 1536.

By this Knevet marriage the Cloptons were allied with many of the most ancient and prominent families of England, thus giving the Clopton family lines of Royal descent. (Inquisition post mortem Calendar of Henry VII. Vol. II. No. 417 and 418. Commission 10 Afs. Inq. 28, Afts. 16, Henry VII, C 1501.)

Sir William Clopton of Kentwell, Long Melford, Knt., Lord of the Manor of Castelyns in Groton, died 1530, and is buried at Melford Church.

Third wife: Thomasine Knevet, daughter of Sir Thomas Knevet of Stanway, in Essex.

Their issue:

1. Richard Clopton

Their son, Richard Clopton of Fore Hall in Melford, married Marjery Playters of Sotterly, Co. Suffolk (2nd wife).

William Clopton, Groton, Co. Suffolk, Esq., eldest son, died August 8, 1616, is noted in Adam Winthrops Diary. Lord of the Manor of Castelyns, Co. Suffolk. His wife, Margery Waldgrave, daughter of Edward W., of Lawford Hall, County Essex Esq., and his wife Joan Acworth.

Their issue:

1. William Clopton

William of Groton, Esq., s & h. Bapt. 1584, will dated November 1640, P. C. C., 148 Coventry, buried November 7, 1640, Groton, Suffolk. He married Alice Doyley, of Norfolk.

Their issue:

1. Walter Clopton,
2. Nector Clopton, of Boynton Co.

William de Cloptone of Kentwell died 1446, was buried at Long Melford Church. Inherited Kentwell Hall from his mother in 1404.

Their issue:

1. John de Cloptone

Their son John de Cloptone married Alice D'Arcy, daughter of Robert D'Arcy of Malden Essex.

Their issue:

1. Sir Wm. Clopton

Sir William Clopton of Kentwell, Knt., died February 30, 1530, at age 80 years, was buried in Lamb Melford Church. Third wife Thomasine Knyvet of Great Stanway.

THE KING LINE
(Mother's side of Florence Howell, Mrs. Clarence O. Pollard)

James Carswell King was born September 7, 1835, at Louisville, Jefferson County, Georgia. He was married January 11, 1886, in Jefferson County, Georgia, by L. A. Pattillo.

James C. King was the son of Michael Thomas King who was born in North Carolina in the Fayette District. He was married to Jane Elinor Carswell, born November 20, 1816, in the State of Georgia, on October 26, 1834, in Georgia. He died September 12, 1878, and she died September 10, 1857, both in Jefferson County, Georgia.

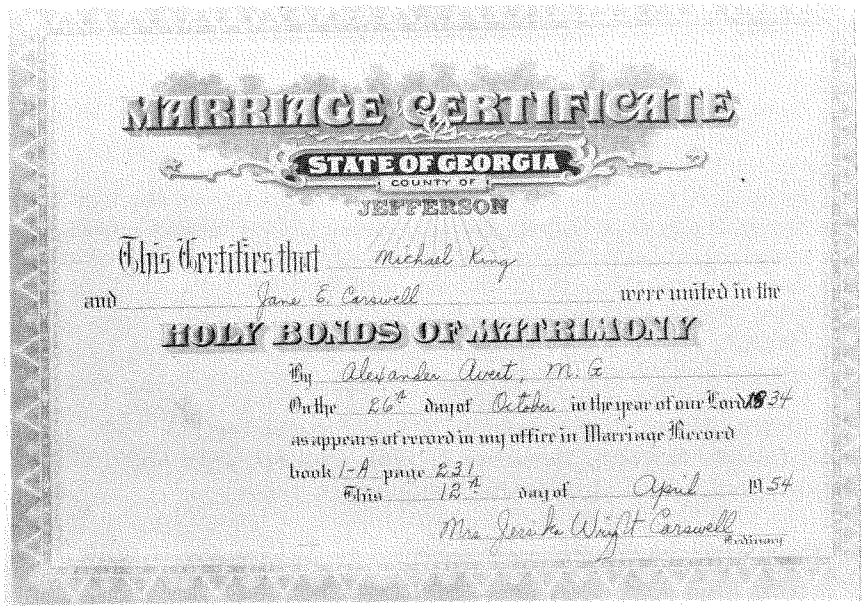
James C. King practiced law with Colonel Milledge B. Ward in Louisville, Georgia and Swainsboro, Georgia.

His army record, sent from Washington, D.C., states, "Corporal, Company C, 20th Regiment, Georgia Infantry, C.S.A. Enlisted June 14, 1861, Louisville, Georgia. Sergeant, December 2, 1861. Ord. Sgt. since May 15, 1862. Paroled April 9, 1865, Appomattox Courthouse, Georgia."

The King family came from Northern Ireland but were originally English. They migrated to the James River section of Virginia and later to North Carolina.

The Kings of North Carolina lived in Bertie County and Sampson County. They migrated to Richmond County, Georgia.

JANE ELINOR CARSWELL



MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE

STATE OF GEORGIA

COUNTY OF JEFFERSON

This Certifies that Michael King

and Jane E. Carswell were united in the

HOLY BONDS OF MATRIMONY

By Alexander Avert, M. G.

On the 26th day of October in the year of our Lord 1834

as appears of record in my office in Marriage Record

book I-A page 231

This 12th day of April 1854

Mrs. Jessie Wright Carswell

Jane Elinor Carswell was the daughter of James Alexander Carswell who was born April 24, 1787, in Burke County, Georgia. He died at Wrens, Jefferson County, Georgia, in August, 1841. His wife was Levinia Rhodes who was born January 28, 1796, in Georgia, and died at Wrens on October 6, 1864. They were married January 23, 1812, in Richmond County, Georgia.

Levinia Rhodes was the daughter of Aaron Rhodes. Aaron Rhodes was the son of William Rhodes who was born December 3, 1724, in Orange County, Virginia. William married Elizabeth Wofford (Wofford Collage).

THE CARSWELLS
(Related to James Carswell King who married Frances Ermine Beall, father of Benita King Howell)

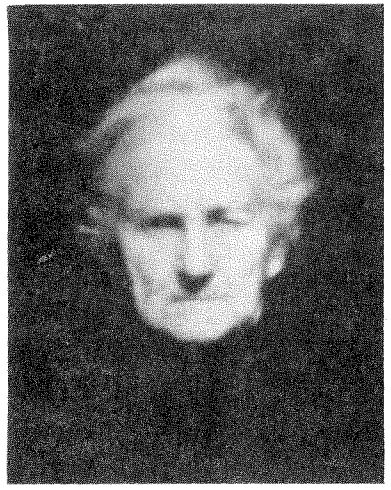
Jane Elinor Carswell was the mother of James Carswell King. Judge John W. Carswell's home at Brothersville, Georgia, was built in the 1840's. It was sold to Cyrus Hudson, later it burned and was never rebuilt. Judge Carswell married Sarah Ann Devine. He, was grandson of Isabella and Alexander Carswell. Judge Carswell, spent his late years at Waynesboro, Georgia where his remains now rest. His wife and daughter Mrs. Wilkins are deceased . . . and his son, John Devine also deceased. Edward Carswell was born 1755, Agnes B. Carswell born 1757, John Carswell born 1760, Alexander Carswell born 1762, James Carswell born 1765, Matthew Carswell born 1768. (See "Lost Arcadia", by Walter A. Clark, published, Augusta, Georgia, 1909. Chronical Job Printing.)

The late Matthew J. and Frank Carswell of Hepzibah, Georgia were sons of Alexander Carswell, who was son of John Carswell. J. Frank Carswell of Augusta, Georgia was son of William Alexander Carswell, grandson of Alexander Carswell, great, grandson of John Carswell.

Carswell is an old Scottish name . . . taken into Ireland. The name "Carse" means: alluvial land, bordering on a stream.

Isabella Carswell, came to America from Ireland, 1765-1770 or about that time. She comes from the line of Lord Ruthwen, Earl of Gonrie, and the head of the House of Cassiles. Isabella was a lineal descent of Robert Bruce, William Wallace, Sir James Douglas, Hero of Bannockburn.

Isabella, wife of Alexander Carswell, was daughter of William Broune, who was son of Lady Jane Gordon, Head of Cassiles.



B. BENITA KING HOWELL

FRANCES E. BEALL KING

THE BEALLS OF MARYLAND AND OF SCOTLAND

Our Bell family of Scotland lived at Fife, which is so often wrongly called "Fifeshire." It is one of the most individual counties of Scotland. Indeed, traditionally, it has been and still is sometimes spoken of as "Kingdom of Fife." Lying as it does to the Firth of Forth to the south, the North Sea to the East and the Firty of Tay to the North of it, is three parts an island. Perhaps one of the most logical, if not always the most practical way to approach it is from the West, from South Perthshire.

Fife, by Scottish standards, is a flat land, though to southern eyes it would not appear so. There are occasional soft hills and quiet valleys, but for the most part wide agricultural fields vary with small isolated industrial and mining areas. It is an ancient as well as an individual part of Scotland. Though it is indubitably a part of the Lowlands, the Gaelic tongue, now only heard in the mountain districts, lingered longer than anywhere else east and south of the Highland line. One sees the effect of this in the names of places and perhaps in an odd feel of Celticism in the air. There is, however, no trace of it in the speech of the people, which has "been roughened to directness by the north-east winds."

Woodside Hotel, Fife, Scotland, is memorable. It is near Edinburgh and has an 18-hole golf course, something to be expected in Scotland.

THE BEALL LINE

Percy Howell, father of Florence Stewart Howell, married B. Benita King on January 11, 1886, in Georgia. Benita's mother was Frances Ermine Beall who was born April 29, 1839, in Warren County, Georgia. She married John Baker and they had one son, Alfred. After Mr. Baker died, Frances married James Carswell King on June 8, 1868, in Georgia. She died in Macon, Georgia, in 1924.

Frances Ermine Beall was the daughter of Colonel Augustus Beall who was born December 23, 1804, in Georgia, and died there on December 15, 1872. He was married to Minnerva Massey, daughter of Thomas J. Massey. She was born February 2, 1818 and died May 10, 1885, in Georgia. They were married in Georgia on April 6, 1838. They had a summer home at Beall Springs, in Warren County, where mineral waters were discovered. Colonel Beall was at one time the mayor of Macon, Georgia.

Augustus Beall was the son of Francis (Frank) Beall who was born August 24, 1768, in Maryland, and died February 19, 1882, in Warren County, Georgia.

Frank married Sarah Gregory, daughter of Charles and Amy Gregory of North Carolina. Sarah was born June 17, 1783, in North Carolina and died in Warren County, Georgia, on September 5, 1860. Frank and Sarah were married March 8, 1801, in Richmond County, Georgia.

Frank Beall was the son of Mannan Beall, a Revolutionary Soldier, of Montgomery County, Maryland. He was born in 1738 (see census of Prince Georges County, Maryland) and died August 9, 1814, in Warren County, Georgia, where his will was probated in 1823. Mannan married Frances Lewis in 1764. She was born in 1744 and died before 1825.

Mannan Beall was the son of John Beall who was born in 1700. He was married in 1720, in Maryland, to Elizabeth Cameron (birthdate no record). John Beall died in 1766 (See Prince Georges County, Maryland, Wills, 1761-67, pages 293-5).

John Beall was the son of Robert Beall who was born in 1670, in St. Andrews, Scotland, and died in 1748. He married Mary Berry.

Robert Beall was the son of Thomas Bell, a member of the old John Knox Church at St. Andrews, Scotland, where Robert was christened. The name Bell was changed to Beall when Robert migrated to Maryland.

COLONEL AUGUSTUS BEALL
Mayor of Macon, Georgia – 1835.
One of the First Trustees
of Wesleyan College in Georgia.

MINNERVA MASSEY BEALL

BEALL SPRINGS, GEORGIA, WARREN COUNTY

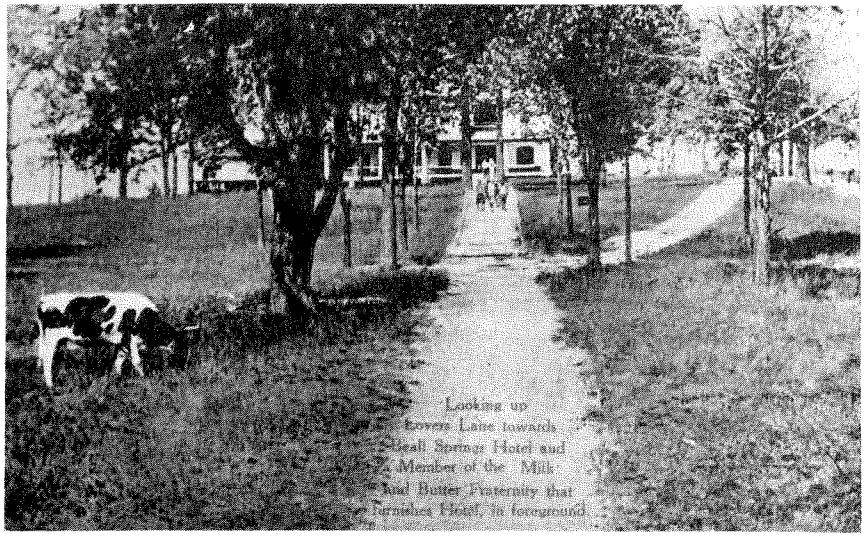
(See D.A.R. History of Warren County, Ga. Archieves Blvd., Volume 4, page 668-6011, Atlanta, Georgia)

Beall Springs, a summer resort in Warren County, Georgia. The waters are chalybeat and are found to have curative value for indigestion, stomach and skin diseases. It took its name from the family in whose possession it remained for more than 100 years.

It is very popular through a number of years, and in 1865, Alex Stevens and Bob Toombs, were guests of Colonel Augustus Beall. At that time the hotel was filled. Small cottages were filled by families who did light housekeeping. Then the luxury of a water system, electric lights, etc. had not become necessities. Boarders were then willing to live in semi-camp style, and enjoy the fine meals that were served and at the same time enjoy the benefits of the water, both internally and externally.

With an outlay of money it is highly probable that Beall Springs would be one of the most popular resorts in the States. In its natural beauty, unadorned by man, the scenery is picturesque. The hotel occupies a site on the summit of the hill and a terraced walk winds down to the spring. A rustic bridge, large oaks and pine trees, and shrubbery of natural growth, add to the beauty of the scene. A constant flow of water, unaffected by freshets, or droughts, has given healing to many suffering patients.

The land was claimed on which the spring was located. Beall Springs, originally belonged to the Indians, but when Colonel Mannan Beall emigrated from the British Isle to Maryland . . then to Virginia to North Carolina . . then to Georgia, the tract of land on which was this spring, was known as government land and was claimed by Mannan Beall.



BEALL SPRINGS HOTEL

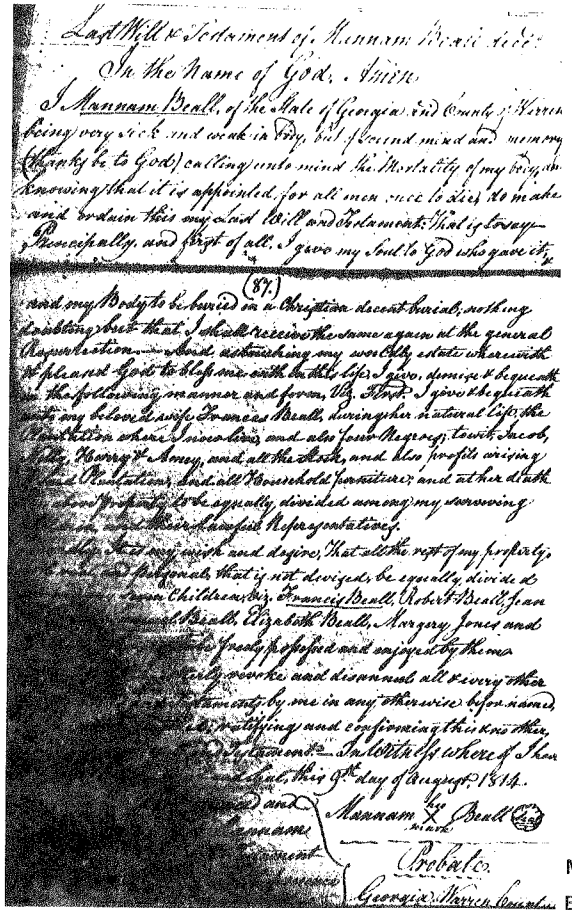
Most people built their homes near springs to get the water more easily for household use. This particular spring proved of medicinal value and became known as BEALL SPRINGS.

There were three sons: Robert, Samuel and Francis (called Frank).

Francis proved to be a builder of unusual ability and it was he who in 1797 built the wooden dwelling on the hill overlooking the spring, which building was later added to and again to accomodate the people who came for the benefit of the water.

Francis Beall married Sarah Gregory daughter of Charles and Amy Gregory of North Carolina. (See Grimes, first Census N.C.) They had sons: Augustus and Elias and daughters, Emily, Harriet, Martha, Susan, and Frances.

Elias Beall went to Texas in 1850. Augustus was born in 1804 in Warren County, Georgia at Beall Springs. He married Minerva Massey. In 1829 Augustus fought in the Indian War and was there made a Colonel. He died in 1872. He left his estate to wife, Minnerva Massey Beall.


Last Will & Testament of Mannam Beall dec'd

In the Name of God. Amen

I Mannam Beall of the State of Georgia and County of Warren being very sick and weak in Body, but of sound mind and memory (thanks be to God) calling unto mind the Mortality of my Body, & knowing that it is appointed for all men once to dies do make and ordain this my Last Will and Testament. That is to say— Principally, and first of all. I give my Soul to God who gave it, and my Body to be buried (87) in a Christian decent burial, nothing doubting but that I shall receive the same again at the general Resurrection— And as touching my worldly estate wherewith it pleased God to bless me with in this life, I give, devise & bequeath in the following manner and form, Viz. Item. I give the use & profits of my below named Negroes, Dennias Beall, during her natural life, the Plantation where I now live, and also four Negroes, to wit Jacob, Peter, Harry & Amey, and all the stock, and their profits arising and Revolutions, and all Household furniture, and at her death to be equally divided among my surviving Repersentatives.

Item. It is my will and desire, That all the rest of my property, Personals that is not devised, be equally divide to my Children, viz. Francis Beall, Robert Beall, Jean Beall, Elizabeth Beall, Margary Jones and

and I do hereby ratify and confirm this & no other to be my Last Will & Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand & seal, this 9th day of August 1814.

Mannam X Beall (Seal)
his mark

Probate

Georgia Warren County

MANNAN BEALL'S WILL

Oliver H. P. Beall was the eldest son of Augustus and Minnerva Beall born June 18, 1843. At 18 years of age he entered the confederate army for the defense of his native South and all the hardships of war were familiar to him, including the horrors of prison, where he was taken and kept for 21 months by the enemy. When peace was restored, he returned to his home on the farm.

Oliver H. P. Beall married a widow Mrs. Mary L. Inman, who had several children. Mr. Beall was pleasing, quiet, punctual in the performance of every duty. At the death of Minnerva Massey Beall in 1885, the land was divided. A part of the property on which were located . . the home and the Springs, was owned jointly by all the children who were Julius C. A. Beall, Augustus Beall, Augustus Ann, and Anna Beall.

The home site and Springs were bought from these heirs several years later by Nathan Johnson who used it as his home.

The chemical analysis of the water is on file in the county for all to see.

(We record the above for it relates to Benita King Howell whose mother was Frances Ermine Beall who married James Carswell King, attorney of Louisville, Georgia. Her father Augustus Beall (Colonel) was one time Mayor of Macon, Georgia.)

THE CARSWELLS
Florence Pollard's grandfather's mother was Miss Jane Elinor Carswell

Judge John W. Carswell's home at Brothersville, Georgia was built in the 1840's. Was sold to Cyrus Hudson, later it burned and never was rebuilt. He married Sarah Ann Devine. He was the grandson of Isabella & Alexander.

Judge Carswell, spent his late years at Waynesboro, Georgia where his remains now rest. His wife and daughter Mrs. Wilkins are now dead.

Their issue:

1. Edward born 1755.
2. Agnes

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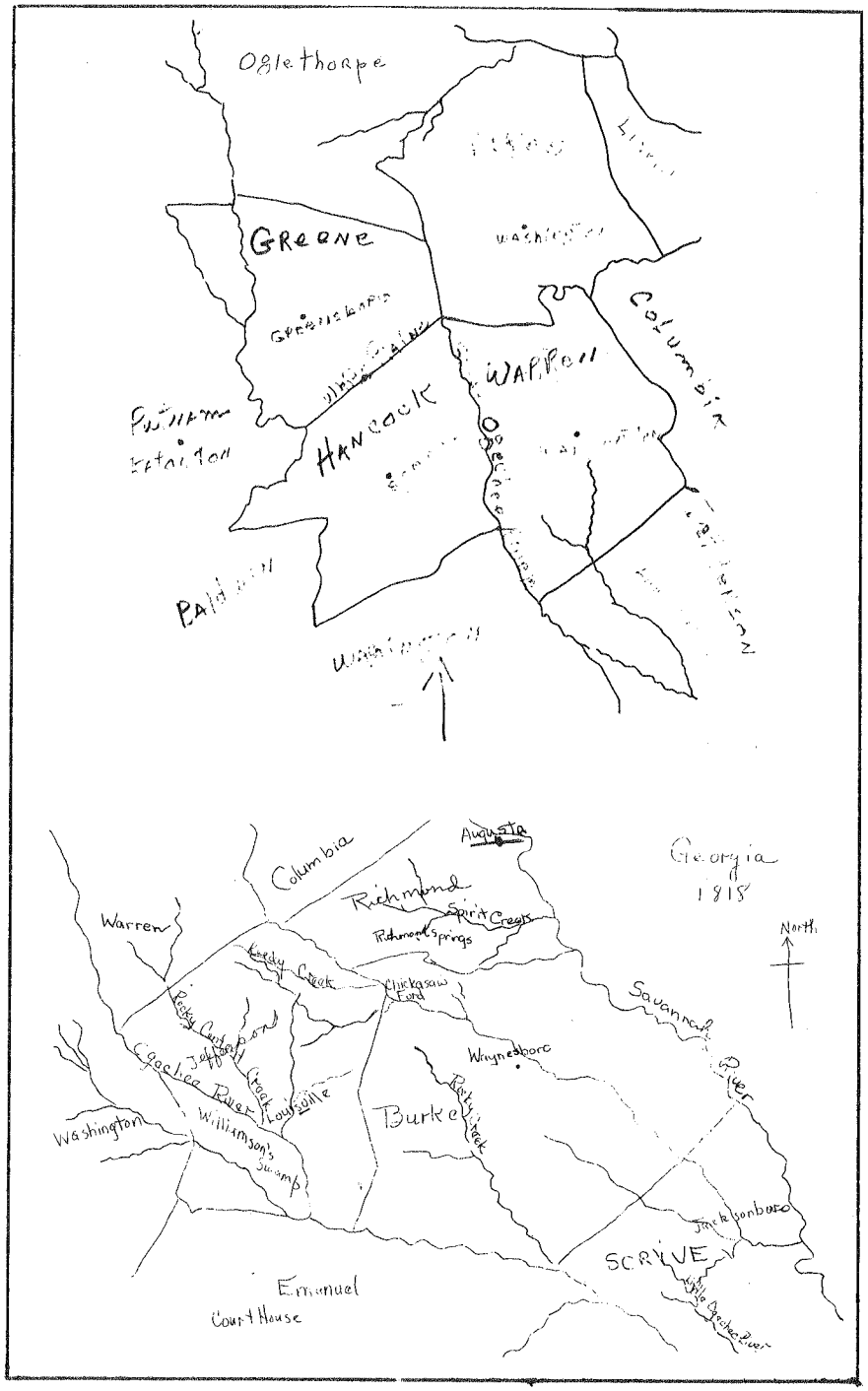
3. John born 1760.
4. Alexander born 1762.
5. James born 1765
6. Matthew born 1768.

The late Matthew J. and J. Frank Carswell, of Hepzibah, were sons of Alexander Carswell, who was son of John.

J. Frank Carswell of Augusta, Georgia was the son of William Alexander, grandson of Alexander Carswell, great, grandson of John Carswell.



FAMILY PICTURES

Home of AMZI ERNEST CHEATHAM, 1008 N. Third Avenue, Columbus, Mississippi

BEUTEL IS PART OF THE PICKENS FAMILY
(Clara Pickens was a Beutel)

2—Thurs. Jan. 18, 1968—Cleburne Texas Times-Review

Houston Walling, Former Sheriff, Dies Wednesday

Houston Walling, 59, former Johnson County Sheriff, died Wednesday in a Fort Stockton Hospital after a brief illness.

Walling was the golf professional at the Fort Stockton Country Club. He became ill yesterday morning while in his automobile on the golf course. He was rushed to the hospital and died a short time later.

A native of Rio Vista, Walling was a graduate of Rio Vista High School. He later moved to Cleburne.

During World War II, he was a member of the U. S. Coast Guard.

Following his discharge from military service, he was elected Johnson County Sheriff, serving two terms — from 1947 through 1950.

He was then employed by General Dynamics, working in Fort Worth and San Diego until 1965, when he accepted the golf professional job at Fort Stockton. He was a member of the West Texas Golf Professionals Ass'n.

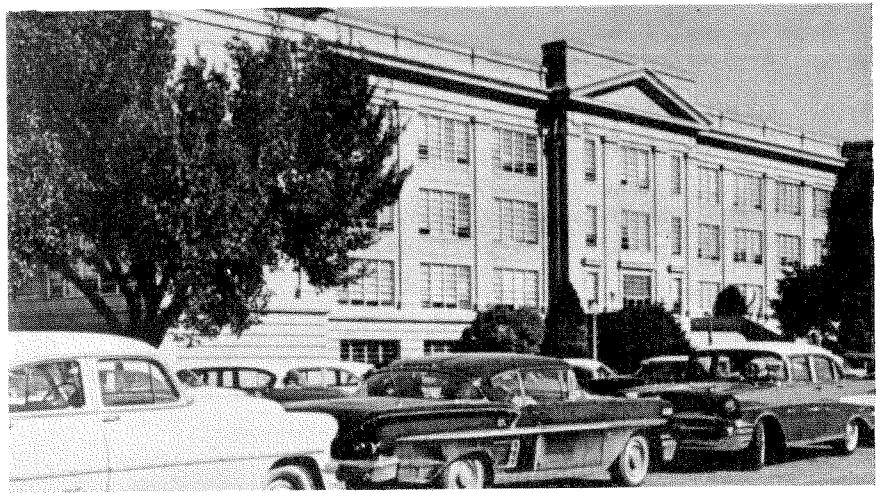
Walling was a member of the Baptist Church.

Surviving are his widow, the former Alla Jo Little; a brother, Elmer D. Walling of Dallas; a sister Mrs. Ruby Harrison of Cleburne and several nieces and nephews.

The funeral service will be held at 1:30 p. m. Friday in Crosier-Pearson Chapel with Dr. Howard Scott officiating. Burial will be in Cleburne Memorial Cemetery.

HOUSTON WALLING

ALLIE JO LITTLE'S MOTHER was KANSAS ELLA OWENS



WEST TEXAS STATE UNIVERSITY

FORMER HOME OF CLARENCE & FLORENCE POLLARD
CIRCLE C RANCH

RECEIVED AFTER BOOK WAS READY FOR PRESS. . . .

CLARKE HOWELL

Genealogy of the Southern Line of the Family of Howell, from the Original Progenitor of the Line in America, John Howell of Virginia.

By Clarke Howell, Atlanta, Georgia, 1930

"I have received innumerable requests, covering a period of many years, for information on the genealogy of the Howell family, these inquiries coming from members of the family throughout the country.

"Some years ago I undertook to trace the main stem of the Howell line back to the original ancestor locating in this country. I communicated with members of the family throughout the South and from them gathered much interesting information, some of which is presented in the letters accompanying this genealogical record."

John Howell, the American progenitor of this line was born in either England or Wales before 1600. The exact date of his coming, from where he sailed, or where he landed, has not been verified, but 1637 is given as the unverified date of his arrival in Virginia, this being followed by the official record of his land grant dates January 10, 1639.

A LETTER TO WILLIAM H. HOWELL OF DALLAS, TEXAS FROM EVAN SHELBY HOWELL, CISCO, MURRAY COUNTY, GEORGIA

Written March 17, 1889

"I got the following statement from my grandfather, Joseph Howell during his life time. During the persecutions of the Protestants by the Catholics in Wales, the Howells, being Baptists, and therefore Protestants, they with many others were forced from their homes, and were compelled to hide in caves and secret places for safety from their enemies. John Howell, the father of my grandfather, Joseph Howell, emigrated to America and settled in Virginia where he finally died.

Of the sons of John Howell, one moved to South Carolina, two to Kentucky one, Henry, remained in Virginia, and Joseph, my grandfather, moved to Cabarrus County, North Carolina, previous to the Revolutionary War. He brought his mother with him and she lived to be about a hundred years old. I saw her buried from the Hains Meeting House in Cabarrus when I was a boy.

"Joseph Howell, my grandfather, married Margaret Eleanor Garmon, a German woman. John Howell, the oldest son of Joseph, married Escona Osborn of Irish descent who died in Haywood County, North Carolina, age 89. Father died in North Carolina, age 91.

My grandfather, Joseph Howell, was 102 years of age when he died in Dokalb, County, Ga. I was born in February 19, 1803.

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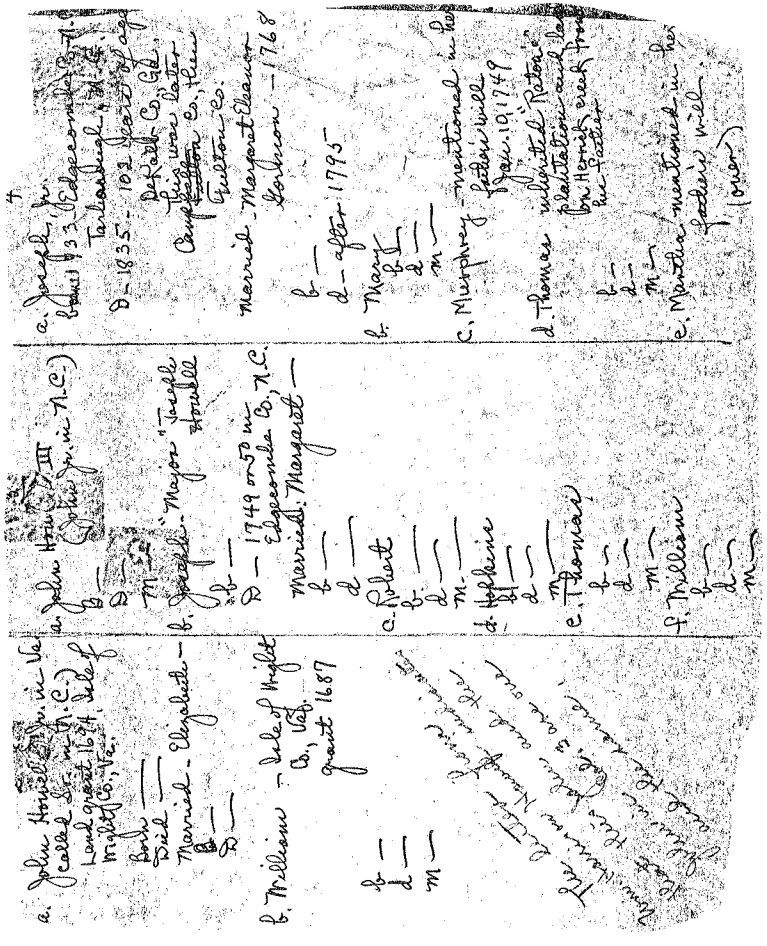
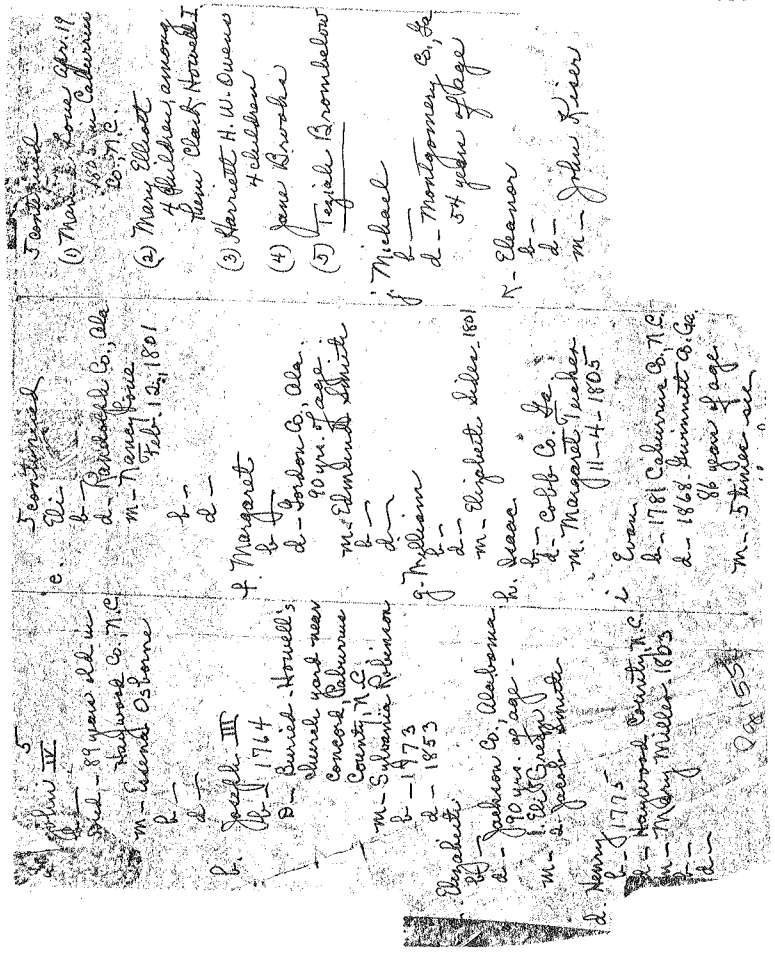
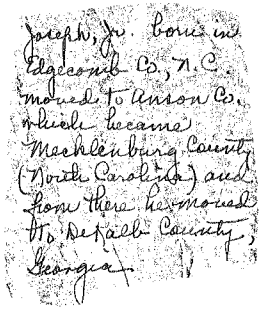
From a letter to William Harrison Howell, Dallas, Ga. written by Cicero C. Howell, Laughbridge, Murray County, Georgia, January 9, 1892.

"_____ I have been talking to father about our family and he says ----- he used to hear his grandfather, Joseph Howell, speak of Wales and how his father was persecuted, and lay out in caves to avoid his persecutors, and that his father finally left Wales and immigrated to Virginia and that he left his landed estate and other property, which he supposed was confiscated. Joseph, it seems, was twelve years old when he left Wales. Father says he can't recollect the names of the sons of his grandfather, John Howell, who came from Wales and settled in Virginia, nor the place of settlement."

(Copied 8/28/54 by Helen C. Richardson)







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